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PRESIDENT'S SAY

I hope that all of you had a pleasant and enjoyable holidays and are looking forward to what the new year will bring. It is with the winter weather that time can be found from outdoor chores to pursue our hobbies. I, for one, have had some time to devote to getting things organized, cataloged, and recorded. The last part is important for future reference if it becomes necessary to divest yourself of a collection or if someone else has to! Once again Virginia and Wayne Dennis have graciously consented to handle the summer raffle to be held at the August ANA meeting. If you have items to donate to the raffle, please send them to Virginia in time to have a listing of material posted in Bunyan's Chips prior to the convention in Portland, Oregon, August 5-9, 1998. Mail your donation to: Virginia Dennis, 1852 Golden Shadow Dr., Henderson, NV. 89015-8620. If there are any questions you can reach me at (206) 244-1596. Please have your donation to Virginia no later than June 1, 1998. If you have not made reservations for the convention now is the time to do so. Remember that IOWMC has a block of rooms reserved at Portland Central, Motel, (503) 238-0600. State that you are with IOWMC and if a member of AARP there is an additional discount. I can supply driving directions to the motel for anyone who desires that information. My goal for the convention is that the gathering will be well attended by seasoned, intermediate, and our beginner collectors. When anyone of these three groups becomes complacent and does not participate in organization activities, then the hobby suffers. Over the years I have witnessed the demise of to many clubs as the members become "Seasoned Collectors" and did not participate or pass on their wisdom to the other two groups. A friend had a saying that "Everyone should have something to collect or the only thing they will collect is moss. Happy Collecting-Del Cushing- Pres. IOWMC



IN MEMORY OF ANTONINETTE CICHY HLM-44



Joining our organization back in 1974, "Toni" showed an active interest in club activities through donations to club raffles, correspondence with club members, sponsoring many into the hobby, and developing friendships with many of us. In 1982 she took on the duties as club secretary and kept the job for ten years. She was the clubs Historian, and maintained records about our hobby and it's members. There is a saying that "your only as strong as your weakest link". I'm a firm believer that Toni was always somewhere to be found in the middle of our chain. Our club, as well as that of its members, have had to feel the loss of many a fine member over the years. The officers and members of IOWMC send their sincere sympathy to the family and friends.-- Editor--

From the Editors Desk

No snow for Christmas but we were able to see about 8" of it prior to New Years Day. Having the Holidays out of the way, I'm now ready for spring to come. I hope everyone had a good holiday season and looks forward to the new year in adding to their collections.

National Token Collectors Association

The NATCA is offering membership in their organization to members of IOWMC. Founded in 1996 by a group of dedicated collectors of trade tokens. Included in the membership fee is a free classified ad in each issue of Talkin' Tokens, a very attractive permanent membership card, and an annual membership roster which lists current club members with collecting information. Anyone wishing to obtain more information can write to: Duane H. Feisel, P. O. Box 212, Shingletown, CA. 96088 A Token Jamboree will be held on Saturday & Sunday, February 28/March 1 at the Oakland Airport Hilton Hotel in Oakland, California. Mr. Feisel will have a large selection of wooden money at the Jamboree if our Ca. members wish to attend this show.

Fostoria, Ohio holds Wooden Money Day

NUMISMATIC NEWS November 4, 1997

The mayor of Fostoria, Ohio proclaimed Sept. 21, 1997, as John Rogers Wooden Money Day.

A proclamation states that this was done to recognize both the contribution of John Rogers Company to the economy of Fostoria and to the wooden money collecting industry. Collectors estimate that between 1938 and 1976, the Rogers Company produced over 85 percent of the wooden money issued to commemorate civic celebrations in the U.S.

During Fostoria '97, the committee saw a need to have a permanent home for the wooden money produced for the 1954 Fostoria Centennial. The Fostoria Historical Society already had a John B. Rogers Room in their museum, but they did not have a display for the wooden money. Rogers produced a 32-piece set of woods for the 1954 Centennial, so a fund was started to purchase a display case. The Fostoria Coin Club was enlisted to assist in obtaining the missing pieces of the 32-piece set. John Rogers Wooden Money Day was the date of presentation, and the display case was presented by Norm Boughton on behalf of the Fostoria '97 committee. Greg Brown, of

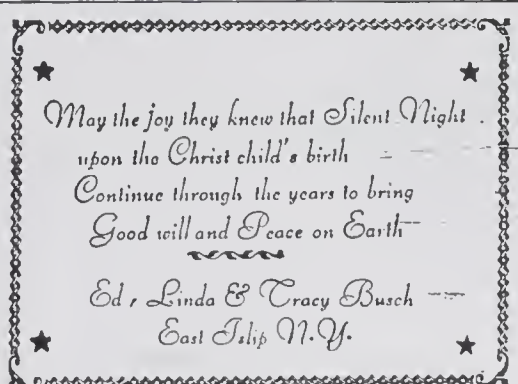
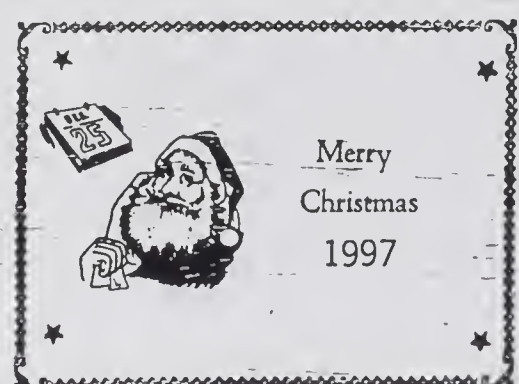
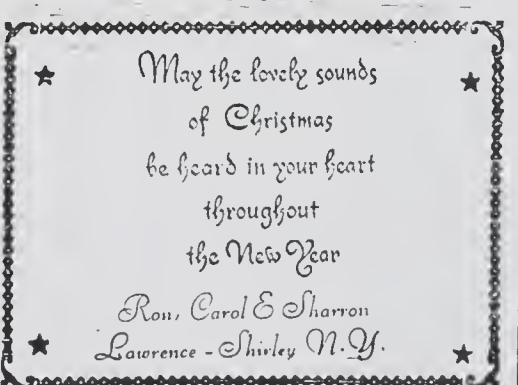
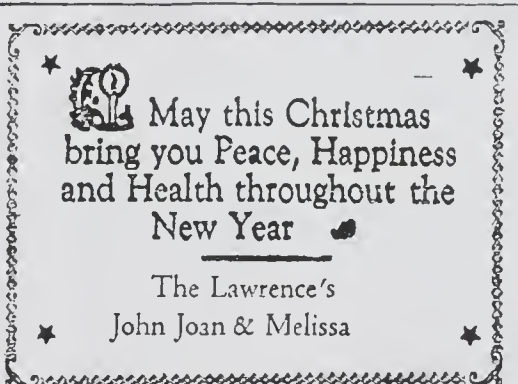
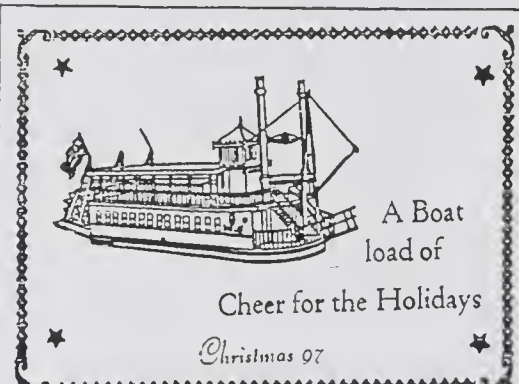
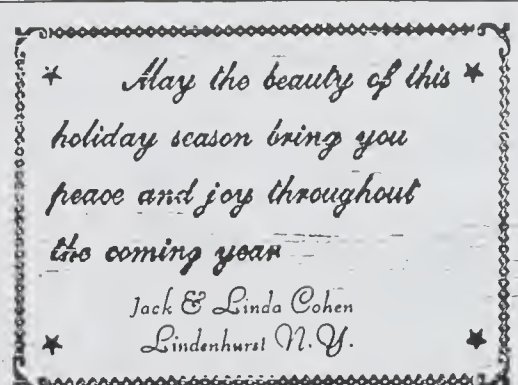
the Fostoria Coin Club, presented some of the missing wooden money. Donations of Fostoria 1954 wooden money are still being solicited to complete the set and can be made to the Fostoria Historical Society, P. O. Box 142, Fostoria, OH. 44830. The Fostoria '97 committee took advantage of the United States Postal Service's participation by issuing a special wooden postcard. The reverse of the postcard features the design of one of the Fostoria wooden nickels. Postcards may be purchased for \$3.00 each. Send orders to Fostoria '97, P. O. Box 93262, Rochester, NY. 14692

Please contact the Fostoria Historical Society if you wish to donate any extra issues that they might need. The display case will house the complete set once it is on hand. Norm worked very hard on this project and now needs the memberships help to see it completed.

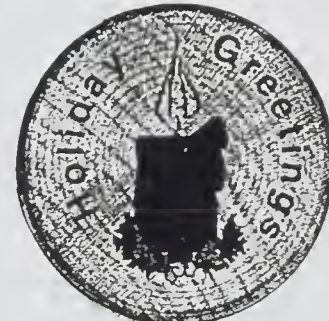
NEBRASKA WOODS of all kinds wanted. I have many trades or will buy. Contact: George Hosek, 7411 Idledale, Omaha, NE. 68112-2805 (402) 455-1905

And the Wooden Medal Goes to..... A wooden medal might seem like a joke, but \$73,810.00 is a high price to pay for a good laugh. That was the sum given at Sotheby's on July 8, 1997 for the 1528 medallion portrait of Lienhard Schregl, a wealthy young Augsburg merchant who died in 1534. No Actual medals derived from this portrait are known to the experts, but this 2-1/2" diameter wooden model for a medal that may never have been struck proved highly desirable as an example of the work of one of the most distinguished German woodcrafters of that age, Christoph Weidnitz. The medal was part of a 155-lot collection of German Renaissance medals left over (unsold) from a famous 1924 Frankfurt sale of the collections of Hermann Vogel (1841-1917) Maine Antique Digest, November, 1977

SECRETARY COMMENTS: THANK YOU TO EVERYONE WHO SENT ME A CHRISTMAS CARD AND OR WOOD WITH THEIR DUES RENEWAL. I ALSO APPRECIATE THE WARM WELCOME I HAVE RECEIVED FROM ALL MEMBERS. AS I AM SURE WITH EVERYONE, DECEMBER GOT A BIT HECTIC AROUND OUR HOUSE AND I DIDNT ALWAYS GET A CHANCE TO SIT DOWN AND DO MY SECRETARY DUTIES RIGHT AWAY, SO IF YOU SENT IN YOUR DUES AND HAVE NOT RECEIVED YOUR CARD, IT IS COMING SOON!



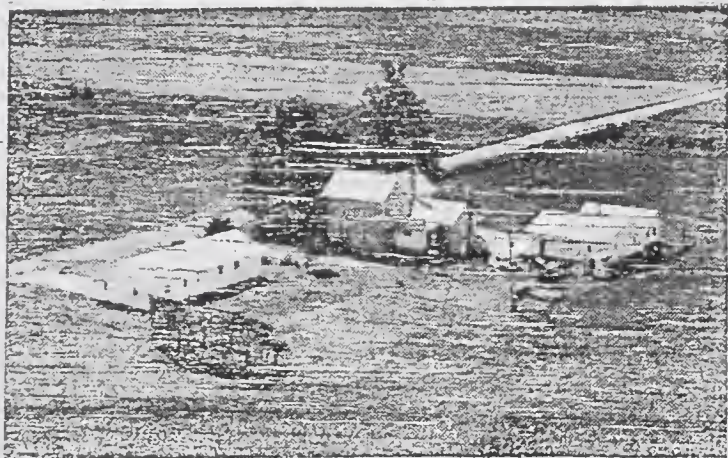
Christmas flats are 25 cents each or will trade for yours.
Send to: John Lawrence, 25 N. Wayne Ave., W. Haverstraw
NY. 10993-1412



Set of five rounds for 50 cents plus an SASE.
Send orders to: Clinton B. List, RR#2, 3280,
Rt 6, Eastham, MA. 02642



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Greetings
from the
Reist
Ranch
1997



Season's
Greetings

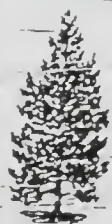


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Jerry Remick

Box 9183
STE. FOY, QUEBEC
G1V 4B1

ONE WOODEN NICKEL



Wishing You Happy
Holiday times to Cherish
and Remember



Robert & Marcia Reist

Issue 22

Ithaca, Michigan



Scrooge Nickels are available
to members for trade, sale at
25 cents each, or 4 for \$1
with postpaid. Send your SASE
to: Bill Morphet, 3360
Chichester Ave., Apt.#A-13,
Boothwyn, PA. 19061



Merry
Christmas

1997

Snowman flat is printed on maple.
Three wise men printed on maple.
Two flats (not shown) were printed
on brown cherry that don't copy well.
Set of four flats available for \$2.00
postpaid from: Jerry Remick, Box
9183, Ste Foy, Quebec, Canada G1V-4B1



1997 Christmas wood: Will trade mine
for yours or will sell for 25 cents per
wood plus an SASE. George VanTrump,
P. O. Box 260170, Lakewood, CO. 80226-0170

Bunyan's Chips

ROLLS

- 1800 NY MORRIS 1970 CENT 5C BLK
 1801 NY PENN YAN 1983 SESQ 5C BLK IND
 1802 NY PALANTINE BRIDGE 1967 CENT 5C BLK
 1803 NY ONEONTA 1976 BICENT 5C BLK IND
 1804 NY PERINTON 1962 SESQ 5C BLK
 1805 NY SCHOHARIE VALLEY 1962 250TH ANNIV 5C BLK
 1806 NY SCHOHARIE VALLEY 1962 250TH ANNIV 5C RED
 1807 NY SCHOHARIE VALLEY 1962 250TH ANNIV 5C PR
 1808 NY SCHOHARIE VALLEY 1962 250TH ANNIV 5C BRN
 1809 NY SEAFORD 1968 325TH 5C BLK LG PRINT
 1810 NY SEAFORD 1968 325TH 5C BLU SM PRINT
 1811 NY SEAFORD 1968 325TH 5C GRN SM PRINT
 1812 NY SEAFORD 1968 325TH 5C RED SM PRINT
 1813 NY SHARON SPRINGS 1971 CENT SET/5
 1814 NY SIDNEY 1972 BICENT SET/5
 1815 AL 1950 1ST ALASKA STATE FAIR 35C BK BUE
 1816 AR WIGWAM TRADING POST CHEROKEE VILLAGE 5C BLK IND
 1817 CA LAKEWOOD 1971 TOM HUDSON, MOHAVE BELT BUCKLES, NCNA 131
 1818 CO GOLDEN STEVENSON CHEVROLET
 1819 CT ELLINGTON 1976 BICENT 5C BLK IND
 1820 FL MIAMI SMITH COINS, OCHOPEE JOE & SUSIES, ST AUGUSTINE OLDEST SCHOOL HOUSE 131
 1821 GA ATLANTA ZOOTOQUE GRANT PARK 5C BLK BUE
 1822 HI OYAMA MEMORIAL ISSUE FOR TOM HUDSON
 1823 IL BELLEVILLE STOVES, DANVILLE POWELL REUNION 121
 1824 IN KOKOMO 1965 CENT 5C BLK IND - ZINTSMASER CHEVROLET
 1825 IN ROCHESTER FULTON CO HIST SOC 1987 TRAIL OF COURAGE
 1826 ME 1978 CHIEF QUODDYS PRIVATE NICKEL
 1827 MD ABERDEEN 1967 75 ANNIV 5C BLK IND
 1828 MD CUMBERLAND 1955 BICENT 5C RED
 1829 MD CECIL CO WOLLY BEAR, 1974 TRICENT - SHORT REAL ESTATE 121
 1830 MA LANESBOROUGH 1965 BICENT 5C RED
 1831 MA LANESBOROUGH 1965 BICENT 5C GRN
 1832 MI MACKINAW TORT MICHILEN AKINAC 5C BLK BUE
 1833 MN MEeker COUNTY 1956 CENT 5C GRN
 1834 NE BELLWOOD 1967 CENT 5C BLK IND
 1835 NE FREMONT - GELVIN LEEPER COLLECTOR EXHIBITOR 5C BLK IND
 1836 NV CARSON CITY - THE TRAP BAR 5C BLU IND
 1837 NJ LITTLE FALLS 1968 CENT 5C BLK BUE
 1838 NJ 7 MISC COIN CLUB & BUSINESS 3
 1839 ND EDGERLEY 1973 POLKA FEST 5C BLK IND
 1840 OH APPLE CREEK 1957 HONECONING JSM CHIPS AROUND EDGE
 1841 OH MANERS PINE TREE 1971 & 1990, BUCKER CHRISTMAS 1997
 JIM HOWARD 80TH B DAY, LISBON CC 1992, OH VALLEY CC 1993 161
 1842 OK WIGWAM TRADING POST NO OK CC 121
 1843 OR PORTLAND - WESTERN FORESTRY CENTER 5C GRN IND
 1844 RI TONI CICHY 1982 SECRETARY/ CHRISTMAS, 1981 DAVINA SIMONEAU BIRTH 121
 1845 SD REAGAN COUNTRY 5C BLK IND
 1846 TN PIGEON FORGE THE OLD MILL 5C BLK IND
 1847 TX SAN ANTONIO - ALAMOD 121, FAREWEL - BAPTIST CHURCH 131
 1848 VA VNA 1990 & 1991 SHOW, SEARS & LOW BUCKS 131
 1849 WA TENINO HEDDENS DRUGS GET WELL SOON 5C BLK IND
 1850 WV HILLSBORO - PEARL S BUCK BIRTH PLACE FOUNDATION 5C BLK IND
 1851 WV MARLINGTON - FAS-CHEK G/F 50 TOP VALLE STAMPS 5C BLK IND
 1852 WY ST ALBANS 1975 TOWN FAIR 5C BK BUE IND
 1853 ONT NIAGARA FALLS BROOMSICK WOOD 1 PLAIN 1 VARNISHED 121
 1854 ONT OTTAWA 1990 JOHN BRENNAN ST PATRICKS DAY
- 1855 NY ALBANY JAMES WAISSER COINS & TOKENS 2/DIF - DC PES 171
 1856 NY ALBANY 1982 B'NAI SHALOM ONE CHAI LIFE DOLLAR
 1857 NY AMSTERDAM 1985 CENT 5C BLK IND
 1858 NY BALATON 1976 BICENT NV BLU
 1859 NY BETHLEHEM 1959 HUDSON-CHAMPLAIN CELEB 5C RED
 1860 NY BUFFALO NAVAL & SERVICEMENS PARK 50C BLU
 1861 NY BURNT HILLS CARSONS COINS 5C BLK IND
 1862 NY CHERRY VALLEY THE TEEPE JIND REV EXCEPT AS NOTED 1ND 1969 1970 1971
 1976, 1977, 1978, 1979 BUE, 1980 IND & BUE, 1981 11/DIF 122PCS 1
 1863 NY CLAYTON 1983 SESQ 25C BLK
 1864 NY COOPERSTOWN FARMERS MUSEUM 5C BLK IND
 1865 NY COOPERSTOWN COUNTRY STORE & ANTIQUES 5C BLK IND
 1866 NY DELHI DEAK NAT'L BANK 5C BLK IND
 1867 NY FORT PLAIN 1976 BICENT 5C BLK
 1868 NY GENESEO 1965 175TH ANNIV 5C BLK IND
 1869 NY GENEVA DUDLEYS PADDOCK LOUNGE, HAVERSTRAW VANDENBURG JEWELERS 121
 1870 NY HERKIMER 1957 SESQ 5C BLU 1DIRTY
 1871 NY HERKIMER 1957 SESQ 10C RED
 1872 NY HERKIMER 1957 BICENT 5C BLK BUE
 1873 NY HOBART STAMFORD KIWANIS 1961 TRADE SHOW BLK IND
 1874 NY HOWES CAVE BERNARD HOUSE OF LEATHER - QUODDY 1975
 1875 NY HOWES CAVE - HOWE CAVERNS 2/DIF
 1876 NY KINGSTON MID-HUDSON NCM CLUB 1965 & 1967 SHOW 121
 1877 NY LACKAWANNA STEEL CITY CC 1965 1C, 5C, 50C, 51 141
 1878 NY LAKE GEORGE 1976 BICENT 5C BLK IND
 1879 NY MAINE 1973 125TH CELEBRATION 5C BLK BUE
 1880 NY MIDDLETOWN 1966 LOCAL 3221 POSTAL CLERKS 5C BLK IND
 1881 NY MILFORD 1976 BICENT 5C BLK SAYRE HOUSE
 1882 NY MONTGONERY 1972 BICENT NV BLU + BLU & YELLOW PIN WITH SIMILAR DESIGN
 1883 NY NEW HYDE PARK - ROSAMILLA 1979, NYC - WEINBERG 1981 2/DIF PRIVATE ISSUES
 1884 NY NORTH HEMPSTEAD 1985 BICENT - LONG ISL CC 5C BLK IND
 1885 NY NORTH RIVER 1974 ROSIES GENERAL STORE - QUODDY
 1886 NY ONEONTA RIZZOS RISTORANTE G/F 1 DRINK 1DIRTY
 1887 NY ONEONTA 1971 HOME SHOW 5C BLK IND
 1888 NY ONEONTA 1976 BICENT 5C BLK IND
 1889 NY OTSEGO CO NICOLS FOR SHERIFF 2/DIF 1979 & 1982
 1890 NY PHELPS 1989 BICENT NV BLU
 1891 NY PORT JEFFERSON 1979 25 REUNION CLASS OF 34 - LAWRENCE
 1892 NY RICHFIELD SPRINGS 1961 CENT 5C PUR BUE
 1893 NY ROCHESTER - BOUGHTON 1982 WEDDING, 1983 CHILL COIN XMAS 121
 1894 NY ROSCOE - ROCKLAND 1989 BICENT 5C BLK IND
 1895 NY SEAFORD 1968 325 ANNIV 5C RED SM PRINT
 1896 NY SEAFORD 1968 325 ANNIV 5C BRN SM PRINT
 1897 NY SPRINGVILLE 1962 5C BLK
 1898 NY SPRINGVILLE 1962 SET/4
 1899 NY STAMFORD 1970 CENT 5C BLU
 1900 NY STAMFORD 1970 CENT SET/5
 1901 NY TICONDEROGA 1964 BICENT 5C BLK
 1902 NY TROY 1966 175TH ANNIV 5C BLK
 1903 NY TROY 1966 175TH ANNIV 5C BLU
 1904 NY TROY 1966 175TH ANNIV 5C GRN
 1905 NY TROY 1966 175TH ANNIV 5C BRN
 1906 NY WALTON 1965 FIREMENS CENT SET/3 (TAPE STAINS)
 1907 NY WALTON DELAWARE CO CC 1977 SHOW
 1908 NY WARREN 1971 175TH ANNIV 5C BK IND
 1909 NY WEST HAVERSTRAW 1983 CENT SET/3
 1910 NY WHEATLAND 1971 SESQ 5C BRN IND
 1911 NY WHITESBORO 1965 SESQ SET/5

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- 1912 NY WHITESBORO 1963 SESQ 5C BLU 5C GRN [21]
 1913 NY WILLIAMSVILLE 1975 SESQ 5C BLK IND
 1914 APV 1982 300th BIRTHDAY/WENGERT SHOE REP AIR 5C BLK
 1915 PA ALLENTOWN 1962 BICENT 5C GRN W/OFFICIAL MEMBER
 1916 PA ASHLAND PIONEER TUNNEL COAL MINE 5C BLK
 1917 PA BETHLEHEM 1963 SUMMER FEST - MUEHLBERG MED CENTER 5C GRN
 1918 PA BERKS CO 1977 225th ANNIV NV RED
 1919 PA BIRD-IN-HAND CENT OLD VILLAGE STORE 5C BLK BUF
 1920 PA BLOOMSBURG UNIVERSITY DR WOZNICK 5C BLK HUSKY
 1921 PA BRADFORD 1979 CENT - LARRY RICHMOND 5C BLK IND
 1922 PA CLARION 1978 SILVER ANNIV LEAF FEST 5C GRN IND
 1923 PA DINGMANS FERRY ERICKSON'S BAKERY 2/DIF
 1924 PA EAST BANGOR FIRE CO 75 ANNIV - EVANS STORES 5C BLK BUF
 1925 PA ELYSBURG 1983 64th HOMECOMING NV BLK
 1926 PA EPHRATA 5C IN TRADE THE GOURMET GROUNDHOG BRN
 1927 PA GILBERTSVILLE 1972 50 ANNIV ZERNES FARMERS MARKET 5C BLK
 1928 PA GLEN MILLS BUFFALO BILL GIFT SHOP 2/DIF
 1929 PA GOSCHENHOPPEN 1972 FOLK FESTIVAL NV GRN
 1930 PA GOSCHENHOPPEN 1974 FOLK FESTIVAL NV BLU
 1931 PA GOSCHENHOPPEN 1978 FOLK FESTIVAL NV BLK (OFF CENTER)
 1932 PA HANOVER NUMSOC 1978 SHOW SET/4
 1933 PA HANOVER 1963 BICENT 5C ORN IND (SM CHIP ON EDGE)
 1934 PA HAZLETON 1977 PWMS 8 SHOW/MR WOODY 5C BLK
 1935 PA HAZLETON 1977 ANTHRACITE CC 16 SHOW SET/2
 1936 PA HELLEERTOWN 1972 CENT 5C BLK IND
 1937 PA INTERCOURSE BRATTONS WOODCRAFT WOOD SENSE 5C BLK BUF
 1938 PA JEFFERSON 1966 AUG 27 5C BLK - JEFFERSON
 1939 PA JERMYN 1970 CENT 5C BLU
 1940 PA JERMYN 1970 CENT 5C GRN
 1941 PA JERMYN 1970 CENT 5C BRN
 1942 PA JIM THORPE ASA PACKER MANSION CIRCA 1860 NV BLK ON YEL
 1943 PA KEMPTON 1974 CENT 5C ORN SERIES 4
 1944 PA KEMPTON 1974 CENT 5C BLU SERIES 4
 1945 PA LANCASTER - SILVER FORD, LEWISBERRY - GROSS MANORETTE [21]
 1946 PA MARYSVILLE 1966 CENT 5C BLK/GRN IND
 1947 PA MATAMORAS POLAR BEAR 5C BLK IND
 1948 PA MIDDLETOWN COLONIAL CRAFT FAIR HORSESHOE 5C BLK IND
 1949 PA NEW FREEDOM 1973 CENT 5C BLU WOODEN NICKEL
 1950 PA NEWPORT LITTLE BUFFALO STATE PARK 5C BLK RUF
 1951 PA NEWVILLE 1976 BICENT NV BLK BELL
 1952 PA NEWVILLE 1976 BICENT NV BLU MILL
 1953 PA NEWVILLE 1976 BICENT NV RED MILL
 1954 PA NORTH HUNTINGDON 1973 BICENT 5C BLK
 1955 PA NORTHUMBERLAND 1973 PINEKNOTTER DAYS 5C PUR
 1956 PA OSCEOLA MILLS AMER LEGION POST 313 25C BLK BUF (DARK)
 1957 PA PARKER 1973 CENT 5C BLK BUF
 1958 PA RICHFIELD 1977 DETCILA DAUGHAN ANNIV NV BLK
 1959 PA SHARRON OLD EXPRESS RESTAURANT QUAKER STEAK & LUBE [21]
 1960 PA STROUDSBURG BEDDING SOUNDS OF STEREO NV BLK
 1961 PA STROUDSBURG 1965 SESQ 5C GRN
 1962 PA STROUDSBURG 1965 SESQ 5C RED
 1963 PA SUNBURY 1976 BIKE HIKE, ERNIES BARBER SHOP 1979, PKG ROAST 1980 [3]
 1964 PA SUNBURY 1972 BICENT 5C BLK
 1965 PA UNION CO 1976 BICENT 5C RED/BLK IND
 1966 PA WILKES-BARRE 1969 CC 5C BLK
 1967 PA WILKES-BARRE CC 1982 SHOW SET/5
 1968 PA WIND GAP 1985 20 ANNIV ALBANESE GARDEN CENTER 5C BLK BUF
 1969 PA WIND GAP 1968 DIAMOND JUBILEE 5C BLK IND (DIRTY - TAPE STAIN)
 1970 PA PEN-ARCYL 1982 CENT - ROY GEORGE SET/2

THE FOLLOWING - LOTS EACH CONTAIN 10 COIN CLUB ROLDS

- 1971 ALLENTOWN - KISKI VALLEY 1986 ALLENTOWN LEHIGH VALLEY & BETHLEHEM 1974
 BOSTON NS 1982 CAVIATIN 1971 CHARTERS VALLEY 1981 CONWAY 1977
 CONRAD WEISER 1980 DANIEL BOONE 1983 [3]
 1972 ANTHRACITE 1977 BLU 1979 BLU 1979 RED [2], 1982 RED 1983 BLU DELAWARE CO NY 1975
 FORKS OF DELAWARE, HANOVER 1969 LEBANON 1976
 1973 HARRISBURG 1979 2 DIF LEHIGH VALLEY COIN SHOW 1977 [2], 1977 MID STATE NY 1987
 MID ATLANTIC NA 1978, ONTARIO NY 1979 [3]
 1974 MID-HUDSON 1966, 1969 [3], MONROE CO PA 1978 [6]
 1975 MONROE CO PA 1981, 1983, NUM OF WISC 1993 OLYMPIA WA 1970 PLASA BIRD IL 1966
 POTTSWOM 1969 RANTOL 1994 SHIPPENSBURG 1974 PRP SCHUYLKILL VALLEY 1984
 SUSSEX CO NJ 1982
 1976 SO HILLS 1981 2/DIF, 1982, TENN STATE NS 1979, VALLEY FORGE 1981, VALLEY OF THE SUN VZ
 1968 WABASH VALLEY IN 1967, WHITE ROSE 1975, WILKES-BARRE 1966 & MEETING WOOD
 1977 WYONING VALLEY 1973 GRN 1983 RED BLU BLK [2], GRN 1984 BLU BLK YORK 1982
 DEALERS NUM ASSN PA 1977
 1978 MIN OF 113 PIECES MOST ISSUED IN THE 70's & 80's & A FEW IN THE 60's & 90's

FLATS

- 1979 NY AMSTERDAM 1954 SESQ 10C GRN
 1980 NY ONEONTA 1948 CENT 5C GRN AMERICAN INDIAN SERIES
 1981 NY UTICA 1948 SESQ 5C BLK
 1982 IN GARLENTON 1950 CENT 10C RED
 1983 OH DELPHOS 1951 DELPHOS BENDING CO 10C BLK
 1984 OH DELPHOS 1951 GRAMM TRAILER 5C BLK (TAPE STAIN)
 1985 OH DELPHOS 1951 GRAMM TRAILER 10C BLK
 1986 OH DELPHOS 1951 YORK REFRIGERATION 5C BLK (TAPE STAIN)
 1987 OH DELPHOS 1951 YORK REFRIGERATION 10C BLK
 1988 OH FOSTORIA 1954 CENT 5C RED 7th ISSUE
 1989 OH FOSTORIA 1954 CENT 5C RED 21st ISSUE (DARK)
 1990 OH FOSTORIA 1954 CENT 10C BLU 1st ISSUE
 1991 OH FOSTORIA 1954 CENT 25C GRN 1st ISSUE
 1992 OH LIMA 1938 SESQ 5C RED & GRN
 1993 OH TOLEDO 1934 PARK DEDICATION 5C GRN
 1994 OH CUSHING 1935 5C BLK SERIES LIVERY SM CHIP 1 CORN FRI
 1995 OK MCALISTER 1949 GOLDEN ANNIV 5C GRN ANNIV SERIES
 1996 OK MCALISTER 1949 GOLDEN ANNIV 5C GRN PITTSBURG SERIES
 1997 OK MCALISTER 1949 GOLDEN ANNIV 10C RED PITTSBURG SERIES
 1998 OK MCALISTER 1949 GOLDEN ANNIV 25C BRN PITTSBURG SERIES
 1999 OK MCALISTER 1949 GOLDEN ANNIV 5C GRN RAINBOW STRIPS

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All bids must be received by:
 Mail to: Clinton B. List, RR #2, 3280 Route 5, Eastham, MA 02642
 Phone 508-255-0460

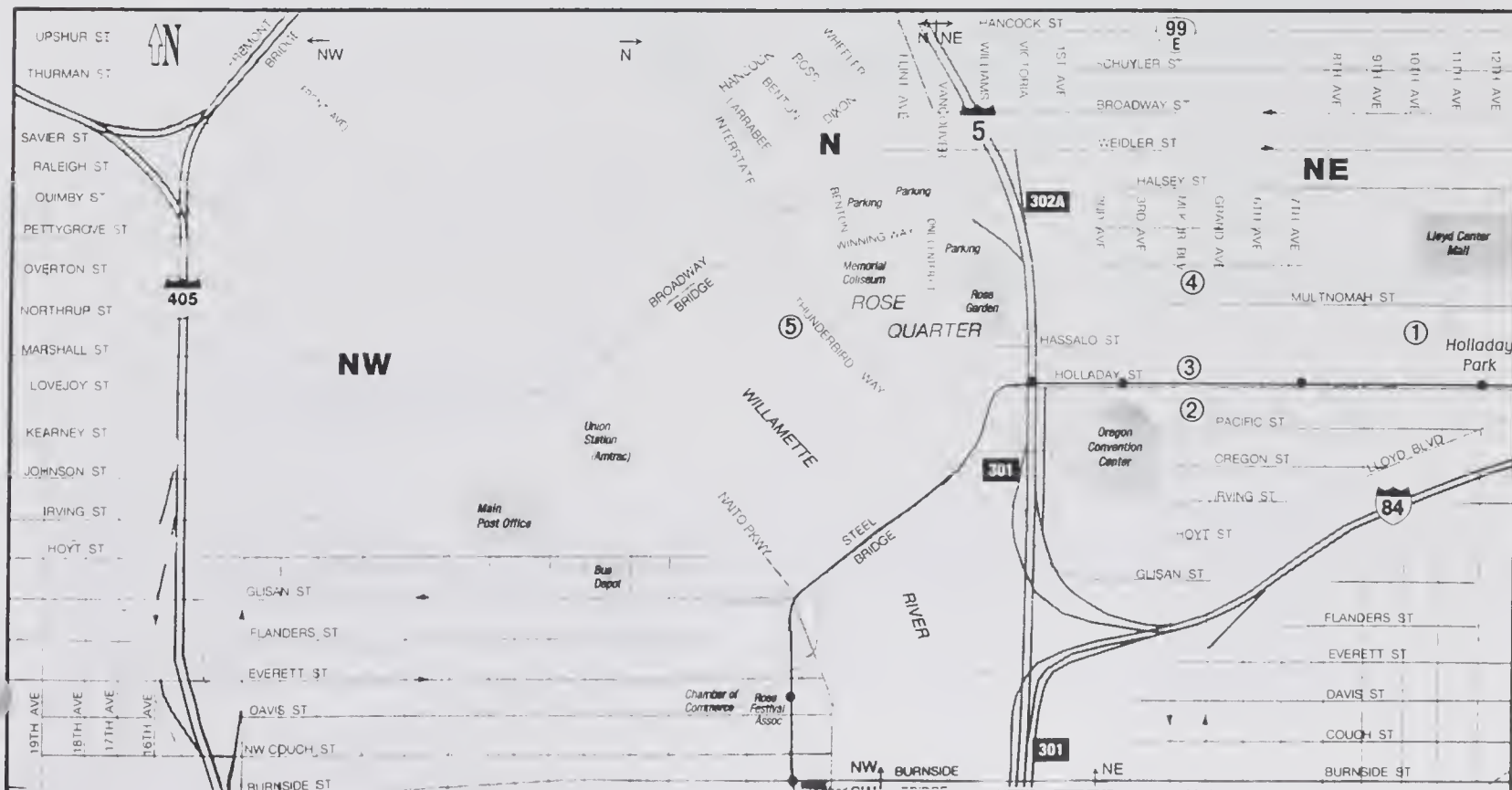
- [1] Bid by lot numbers. Bidders responsible for their bids.
- [2] All lots will be sold to the highest bidder above minimum bid. The bids decided by earliest postmark.
- [3] All bids and payments to be in U.S. Dollars. Make checks payable to CLINTON B. LIST.
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- [5] All lots guaranteed genuine. Any lot that is not as described may be returned.
- [6] If you overbid your pocketbook, ask for payment terms.

1998 ANA 107th Anniversary Convention Portland, Oregon / August 5-9, 1998

HOTELS

	Single	Double 1 Bed	Double 2 Beds	King
1. Double Tree/Lloyd Center (Headquarters Hotel)	\$109	\$109	\$124	\$139
2. Best Western Inn/Conv. Center	\$ 80	n/a	\$ 80	n/a
3. Holiday Inn/Downtown	\$ 92	\$102	\$102	n/a
4. Comfort Inn	\$ 76	\$ 76	\$ 87	\$ 76
5. Red Lion/Coliseum	\$ 75	\$ 85	\$ 95	\$ 85

9% lodging tax will be added to above price





1998 ANA 107TH ANNIVERSARY CONVENTION

PORTLAND, OREGON—AUGUST 5-9, 1998

OREGON CONVENTION CENTER—777 N.E. MARTIN LUTHER KING JR. BLVD.

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DEADLINE: July 1, 1998 ❖ DEADLINE: July 1, 1998 ❖ DEADLINE: July 1, 1998

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ATTN: ANA 1998 Housing
Three World Trade Center
26 S.W. Salmon
Portland, Oregon 97204-3299

OR FAX TO: (503) 275-9782.

Allow three weeks for processing. You will receive confirmation of your reservation directly from the hotel. **Please print or type the following information to insure correct and timely processing.**

Name of occupants:

☐ Request non-smoking

☐ Request rollaway bed

☐ Request wheelchair accessible room

Hotel Preference (List your choices in order) **See Reverse**

1. _____
2. _____
3. _____
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My name is Joe Snook and I live in Portland, OR. I would like to extend a welcome to all the wooden money collectors to the ANA in August 1998. I can pick up members at the airport and would like the opportunity to talk about the hobby with fellow collectors. If someone needs a place to stay for the weekend, I would be willing to let them come to my home. I can be reached at 1-503-286-4101 or write to: Joe Snook, 8540 N. Alleghery, Portland, OR. 97203

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The additional pages for changes to your 8th edition Guide Book of Wooden Money have been in three issues of Bunyan's Chips. There are two more issues that will list the correction pages from Clinton List. This makes a total of ten pages. Anyone who missed any part of the printings can contact the editor to receive missing copies from past issues. Clinton asks that members contact him with any comments, corrections, additions, and new wood issues. He will forward future pages to Bunyan's Chips as a service to the membership. Send your letters to: Clinton B. List, RR#2, 3280, Rt. 6, Eastham, MA. 02642-2113 Thank you Clinton for a job well done!!

IOWMC TREASURER'S REPORT AS OF NOV. 30, 1997CHECKING ACCOUNT: Balance carried forward: \$1141.10INCOME:

Mail Bid (List)	\$ 76.52
Mail Bid (Raffle donations)	<u>18.32</u>
	\$ 94.84

EXPENSES:

Editor	\$300.00
Secretary	<u>50.00</u>
	\$350.00
Net Loss:	\$ 255.16
Bal. Chk. Act.:	\$ 885.94

SAVINGS ACCOUNT: Balance carried forward: \$2399.83

<u>INCOME:</u>	Interest (October)	<u>4.07</u>
	Balance Savings Account:	\$2403.90

LIFE MEMBERSHIP ACT: Bal. carried forward: \$3197.53

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NEBRASKA	SHELTON	1967	CENT	5C	BLU/BLK	BUF	ADD
NEBRASKA	SHICKLEY	ND	DIAM JUB	5C	BLK/BRN	IND [1963]	ADD
NEBRASKA	ST. EDWARD	1967	CENT	5C	BLK ON SIL	BLK IND	ADD
NEVADA	LOVELOCK	1969	FRONTIER DAYS	5C	RED	IND	ADD
NEVADA	SPARKS	1964	60th	5C	BLK	SM IND	ADD
NEVADA	SPARKS	1964	60th	5C	BLK	LISTED PIECE IS LG IND	CHANGE
NEW HAMP	CANAAN	ND	OLD HOME DAY	5C	BLK	IND	ADD
NEW HAMP	FRANKLIN	1978	SESQ	1\$	BLK/BLU	MORGAN DOLLAR	CHANGE
NEW HAMP	FRANKLIN	1978	SESQ	5C	BLK/RED	BRAVE	CHANGE
NEW HAMP	FRANKLIN	1978	SESQ	5C	BLK/BRN	BUF	CHANGE
NEW HAMP	FRANKLIN	1978	SESQ	5C	BLK/PUR	MAN	CHANGE
NEW HAMP	NORTHFIELD	1980	BICENT	5C	GRN		ADD
NEW HAMP	NOTTINGHAM	1972	250th	5C	GRN	BUF	ADD
NEW HAMP	NOTTINGHAM	1972	250th	5C	BLK	IND	ADD
NEW HAMP	ORFORD	1965	BICENT	5C	BLK	DELETE OXFORD	CHANGE
NEW HAMP	RAYMOND	1964	BICENT	10C	BRN/BLK		ADD
NEW HAMP	RUMNEY	1967	BICENT	5C	BLK	BRN IND	ADD
NEW HAMP	RUMNEY	1967	BICENT	5C	BLK ON SIL	BLK IND	ADD
NEW HAMP	RUMNEY	1967	BICENT	5C	BRN	BRN IND	ADD
NEW HAMP	TILTON	1969	CENT	5C	BLK	IND HOLE FOR KEYCHAIN	ADD
NEW HAMP	TILTON	1969	CENT	5C	BLK	IND LISTED PIECE NO HOLE	CHANGE
NEW JERS	ATLANTIC CITY	1970	CENT	5C	BLK	RED #'s	ADD
NEW JERS	ATLANTIC CITY	1970	CENT	5C	BLK	BLK #'s	ADD
NEW JERS	BRIDGETON	1936	250TH	5C	BLU	DELETE 25TH	CHANGE
NEW JERS	DOVER	ND	BICENT	NV	RED	LIBERTY BELL [1976]	ADD
NEW JERS	LINCLON PARK	1982	CARNIVAL	NV	BLK		ADD
NEW JERS	MANTUA	1989	FUN DAY	NV	BLK	NICKELODEON	ADD
NEW JERS	MANTUA	1990	FUN DAY	NV	BLK	HOLLYWOOD	ADD
NEW JERS	MANTUA	1991	FUN DAY	NV	BLK	MARDI GRAS	ADD
NEW JERS	RUNNEMEDE	1976	LIBERTY TREE	5C	BLK	IND	ADD
NEW YORK	ANGELICA	1995	BICENT				ADD
NEW YORK	AUBURN	1959	AK STATEHOOD	5C	BLK	IND	ADD
NEW YORK	AUBURN	1959	AK STATEHOOD	5C	BLK on SIL	W/HOLE	ADD
NEW YORK	AUBURN	1959	AK STATEHOOD	5C	BLK on SIL	W/O HOLE	ADD
NEW YORK	BALDWINVILLE	ND	McHARRIE DAY	5C	BLK	IND	CHANGE
NEW YORK	BATH	ND	FEST	5C	BLK	IND	ADD
NEW YORK	BATH	ND	FEST	5C	BLK	LISTED PIECE IS BUF	CHANGE
NEW YORK	BROOKHAVEN	1982	327th ANNIV	NV	BLK		ADD
NEW YORK	CHEMUNG	1961	125th ANNIV	NV	GRN	VOID 8-31-61 BOTH SIDES	ADD
NEW YORK	CHEMUNG	1961	125th ANNIV	5C	LT GRN	VOID 8-31-61 / SEPT 9-16 1961	ADD
NEW YORK	CHEMUNG	1961	125th ANNIV	5C	DK GRN	VOID 8-31-61 / SEPT 9-16 1961	ADD
NEW YORK	COLESVILLE	1996	175th	5C	BLK	IND	ADD
NEW YORK	CONQUEST	1971	SESQ	5C	GRN/BLK	BUF [N.Y.]	ADD
NEW YORK	CONQUEST	1971	SESQ	5C	BLK	IND FACE R [NO STATE]	ADD
NEW YORK	CONQUEST	1971	SESQ	5C	BLK	IND FACE L [NEW YORK]	ADD
NEW YORK	CONQUEST	1971	SESQ	5C	BLK	BUF [NO STATE]	ADD
NEW YORK	FAIRVIEW	1978	FOUNDERS DAY	10C	BLK	IND	ADD
NEW YORK	FAIRVIEW	1979	FOUNDERS DAY	10C	BLU	IND	ADD
NEW YORK	GENESCO	1965	175th	5C	BLU	IND	ADD
NEW YORK	GENEVA	1957	SESQ	10C	GRN	DELETE 5C GRN	CHANGE
NEW YORK	GENEVA	1957	SESQ	25C	RED	DELETE 5C RED	CHANGE
NEW YORK	JAMESTOWN	1976	BICENT	NV	RED		ADD
NEW YORK	MASPETH	ND	GAY 90'S DAYS	5C	BLK	SM IND [1962]	ADD
NEW YORK	MASPETH	ND	GAY 90'S DAYS	5C	BLK	LG IND [1962]	ADD
NEW YORK	MECHANICVILLE	1976	BICENT	5C	BLK/RED	BUF	ADD
NEW YORK	MECHANICVILLE	1976	BICENT	5C	BLK	LISTED PIECE IS IND	CHANGE
NEW YORK	MECHANICVILLE	1976	BICENT	5C	BLK	IND W/HOLE	ADD
NEW YORK	MECHANICVILLE	1976	BICENT	5C	BLK	BUF W/HOLE	ADD
NEW YORK	MECHANICVILLE	1987	150th	NV	BLK	COL. ELLSWORTH	ADD
NEW YORK	NORTH TONAWANDA	1965	CENT	5C	BLK	SM IND W/O #'S	ADD
NEW YORK	NORTH TONAWANDA	1965	CENT	5C	BLK	LISTED PIECE IS LG IND W/O #'S	CHANGE
NEW YORK	NORTH TONAWANDA	1965	CENT	5C	BLK ON SIL	BLK SM IND W/O #'S	ADD
NEW YORK	NORTH TONAWANDA	1965	CENT	5C	BLK	BUF W/STARS W/ #'S	ADD
NEW YORK	NORTH TONAWANDA	1965	CENT	5C	BLK	BUF W/STARS W/O #'S	ADD
NEW YORK	NORTH TONAWANDA	1965	CENT	5C	BLK	BUF W/O STARS W/O #'S	CHANGE
NEW YORK	PALMYRA	1955	CENT	5C	BLK	SM IND FACE L 7/23-24 W/O N.Y.	ADD
NEW YORK	PALMYRA	1955	CENT & FAIR	5C	BLK	SM IND FACE L 8/22-27 W/N.Y.	ADD

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NEW YORK	PALMYRA	1955	CENT & FAIR	5C	BLK	I.G IND FACE L 8/22-27 W/O N.Y.	ADD
NEW YORK	PALMYRA	1955	CENT & FAIR	5C	BLK	BUF 8/22-27 W/O N.Y.	ADD
NEW YORK	PALMYRA	1955	CENT FAIR	5C	BLK	HARPER BUF 8/22-27 W/O N.Y.	CHANGE
NEW YORK	PORT LEYDEN	1996	BICENT	5C	BLK	SM BUF IN CIRCLE	ADD
NEW YORK	SOUTHAMPTON	1990	350th	5C	BLK	CHAMB of COMM	ADD
NEW YORK	SPRINGWATER	1967	SESQ	5C	BRN/GRN	IND	ADD
NEW YORK	SPRINGWATER	1967	SESQ	5C	BRN/GRN	BUF	ADD
NEW YORK	STEUBEN CO	1996	BICENT	5C	BLK	IND	ADD
NEW YORK	SULLIVAN	1990	BICENT	5C	RED	IND	ADD
NEW YORK	TABERG	1973	SESQ	5C	RED	IND	ADD
NEW YORK	TABERG	1973	SESQ	5C	RED	LISTED PIECE IS BUF	CHANGE
NEW YORK	TICONDEROGA	1964	BICENT	5C	RED	SCROLL	ADD
NEW YORK	TICONDEROGA	1964	BICENT	5C	BLK	SCROLL	ADD
NEW YORK	TONAWANDA	1967	SESQ	5C	BLK	IND	ADD
NEW YORK	TONAWANDA	1967	SESQ	5C	BLK	LISTED PIECE IS BUF	CHANGE
NEW YORK	TRUMANSBURG	1972	CENT	NV	BLK	PRINT BOTH SIDES	ADD
NEW YORK	TRUMANSBURG	1972	CENT	5C	BLK	LISTED PIECE IS IND	CHANGE
NEW YORK	WORCESTER	1997	BICENT	5C	BLK	IND	ADD
NO CAROL	STANLEY	1991	150th	5C	RED	IND 1841-1991	ADD
NO CAROL	STANLEY	1991	150th	5C	RED	ERROR DATE 1941-1991	ADD
NO DAKOT	DICKEY	1982	CENT	5C	BLK	IND	ADD
NO DAKOT	WILLISTON	ND	CENT	5C	RED	ROOSEVELT CENT YEAR	ADD
NO DAKOT	JAMESTOWN	1997	FAIR	1\$	BLK	2"	ADD
NO DAKOT	SHARON	1996	CENT	NV	PUR		ADD
OH	OTTAWA	1961	CENT	5C	RED	EVENT IS CENTENNIAL	CHANGE
OHIO	APPLE CREEK	1976	AM REV BICENT	NV	BLK	DELETE FEST	CHANGE
OHIO	APPLE CREEK	1980	HOMECOMING	5C	BLK	APPLE	ADD
OHIO	APPLE CREEK	1981	HOMECOMING	5C	GRN	APPLE	ADD
OHIO	APPLE CREEK	1986	HOMECOMING	5C	BLK	STATUE OF LIBERTY	ADD
OHIO	APPLE CREEK	1987	HOMECOMING	5C	BLK	APPLE	ADD
OHIO	APPLE CREEK	1989	HOMECOMING	5C	RED	APPLE	ADD
OHIO	APPLE CREEK	1991	HOMECOMING	5C	BLU	UNITED NATIONS	ADD
OHIO	APPLE CREEK	1992	HOMECOMING	5C	ORN	COLUMBUS	ADD
OHIO	BARBERTON	1966	75th	5C	BLU/BLK	IND	ADD
OHIO	BARNESVILLE	1995	FEST	NV	GRN		ADD
OHIO	BARNESVILLE	1995	FEST	NV	ORN		ADD
OHIO	BARNESVILLE	1996	FEST	NV	GRN		ADD
OHIO	BARNESVILLE	1996	FEST	NV	ORN		ADD
OHIO	BELPRE	1964	175th	5C	BRN	BUF	ADD
OHIO	BRADFORD	1966	CENT	5C	BLK	BUF	ADD
OHIO	BROADWAY	1965	CENT	5C	BRN	IND	ADD
OHIO	BUCYRUS	1974	FAIR	5C	BLK	IND	ADD
OHIO	BUCYRUS	1974	FAIR	5C	BLK	LISTED PIECE IS BUF	CHANGE
OHIO	CAREY	1983	125th	25C	RED		ADD
OHIO	CHILLICOTHE	1988	FARMERS FALL FEST	5C	BLK	BUF	ADD
OHIO	CHILLICOTHE	1990	FARMERS FALL FEST	5C	RED	IND	ADD
OHIO	CHILLICOTHE	1991	FARMERS FALL FEST	5C	BLU	IND	ADD
OHIO	CIRCLEVILLE	1964	PUMPKIN SHOW	NV	BLK	LG PRINT 10/23	ADD
OHIO	CIRCLEVILLE	1964	PUMPKIN SHOW	NV	BLK	SM PRINT 10/23	CHANGE
OHIO	CIRCLEVILLE	1964	PUMPKIN SHOW	NV	BLK	SM PRINT 10/24	ADD
OHIO	CIRCLEVILLE	1978	PUMPKIN SHOW	5C	BLK	IND	ADD
OHIO	CIRCLEVILLE	1979	PUMPKIN SHOW	NV	GRN	PUMPKIN	ADD
OHIO	COLEBROOK	1982	HOMECOMING	5C	BLK	IND	ADD
OHIO	COLEBROOK	1983	HOMECOMING	5C	BLK	BUF	ADD
OHIO	COLEBROOK	1983	HOMECOMING	5C	BLK	IND	ADD
OHIO	COLUMBUS	1938	SESQ	5C	GRY/BLU	W/O #S	ADD
OHIO	CONTINENTAL	1968	CENT	5C	BRN		ADD
OHIO	CORTLAND	1985	10th	5C	BLK	IND	ADD
OHIO	CORTLAND	1985	10th	5C	BLK	LISTED PIECE IS BUF	CHANGE
OHIO	CUYAHOGA FALLS	1962	SESQ	5C	RED		ADD
OHIO	DAYTON	1997	FAIR		PURP	2" FERRIS WHEEL	ADD
OHIO	EATON	1993	HIST DAYS	5C	BLK/RED	BUF	ADD
OHIO	FAIRFIELD	1979	INDIAN SUMMER DAY	5C	RED	IND	ADD
OHIO	FAIRFIELD	1980	INDIAN SUMMER DAY	5C	BLK	IND	ADD
OHIO	FORT RECOVERY	1991	BICENT	5C	PUR	IND	ADD
OHIO	GEORGETOWN	1938	SESQ	5C	BLK/GRN		ADD
OHIO	GEORGETOWN	1938	SESQ	5C	GRN		ADD

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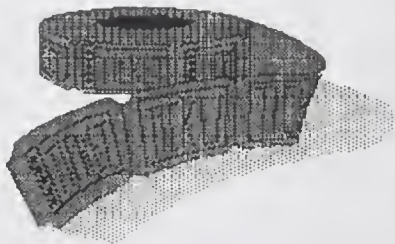
Folks, That Bit of Wood In Your Hands Could Be Really Special!

By: John C. Hoffman R-1966

I focus on every kind of token (metal, wood, plastic, fiber, cardboard, etc.) and exonomia issues from one California County (Merced). For the moment my locale may still fit the description of "out-of-the-way" in this State. However, as the recently designated location of the next University of California (due to open in the year 2005, the first new U.C. since the early 1960's), Merced is sure to become more and more prominent in the coming years. Periodically I send my "Woods Want list" out with a letter of inquiry to wood collectors from this part of the county but have fared poorly with replies. I suspect that there are several possible reasons for this--perhaps people don't have the woods I'm looking for, or their pieces aren't organized, and they can't tell if they have them or not. Maybe I just haven't talked to enough wood collectors, but it seems that a goodly percentage of those I've met really focus on personal issues or Holiday themes or similar topics. Personal issues will also find their way into my collection if I become aware of them and if they are from my focus area--but its the local merchant and advertising-related pieces that are fascinating historical items for me...Come to think of it, though, couldn't merchant issues be considered a type of personal issue also? They are often issued by an individual, and have simply been designed to fulfill another function, too. There don't seem to be too many collectors' at least that I am aware of, who pursue everything equally in the way of tokens, advertising pieces, etc.--old metal as well as woods, plastics and so forth. This has always seemed to me to be a bit short-sighted, at least for merchant token collectors, if someone has any interest in the historical aspects of merchant-related numismatic items. Today's issues often disappear just as quickly as the old metal pieces seem to have done 50 or a 100 years ago. In fact it is ironic that in some cases I have seen quite a few examples of a 100-plus year old metal token from my area but have never seen a single example of a particular wooden nickel that may have been issued in the past twenty or thirty years, except by reference in a token book or by word of mouth. "Merced's Wurst" was one of these. Charles Kappen's 1974 tome, California Tokens, provided the description, including its location "next to Greyhound Station". A review of the telephone books and business directories revealed that the "free cup of coffee" offered by this wooden nickel had been given only during some portion of 1973. That was the year I arrived in Merced to pursue a new job... but more than a decade before I became a confirmed token addict, in the mid-1980's. I've given quite a few presentations since then on collecting, particularly local tokens, to a variety of audiences ranging from service clubs to student classrooms. During that time I have used the "Merced Wurst" wooden nickel over and over again as my classic example of elusiveness. Perhaps it's because it was being used at the time I came to town--In fact, I might have saved years of anguish merely by taking a short walk from my office, if only I had experienced an inclination years before my token obsession actually arrived! Traditionally, the title "King of Merced Tokens" has been accorded to an old metal rarity from the 1880's--Merced's Quigley Saloon token. However, I had seen two examples of that saloon token in the past thirteen years...but I have never seen an example of "Merced's Wurst". What else could I say, if only slightly tongue-in-cheek--as far as I was concerned, this wooden nickel was the rarer piece.

Continued on page 11 as "Merced' Wurst"

Sale on the tickets for the Editor's raffle have done very well. Drawing will be held during the 3rd week of Feb. The March newsletter will have a report on the winners. Wood prizes will be mailed out at the end of this month. Please show the same support for the club raffle being held at this years ANA meeting in Portland, Oregon.



Membership incentive wood issues

Just a reminder that with each new member or a past member that you bring back into the club, you will receive an incentive wood for each up to a total of 5. The incentive woods are wooden nickels printed in red on both sides. One side has the club logo and the other side has one letter in the center. When these five woods are put together they make a set I.O.W.M.C. Each wood has a value from 5 C to \$1.00. There have been nine of these sets sent out so they are not common issues in collections. The nice part about this program is that it runs each year to give each of the club members a chance (incentive) to complete the set. The date is hand stamped on each wood, and the color is changed each year of issue. If you signed up three members last year, you would need only two this year to complete the set. This means that you would have two different colors for the date. To have the same color for all five woods you must sign up 5 new members in the same year. Incentive woods that are due to members are mailed out at the end of each year. Sign up 5 members this year and add a set of woods to your collection that reflect your support to your hobby & club....



IOWMC TREASURER'S REPORT AS OF DEC. 31, 1997

CHECKING ACCOUNT: Balance carried forward: \$885.94

INCOME: NONE

EXPENSES:

Editor	\$300.00
ANA Dues	33.00
	<u>\$333.00</u>
Net Loss:	<u>\$333.00</u>
Bal. Chk. Act.:	<u>\$552.94</u>

SAVINGS ACCOUNT: Balance carried forward: \$2403.90

INCOME:	Interest (November)	<u>3.69</u>
	Balance Savings Account:	<u>\$2407.59</u>

LIFE MEMBERSHIP ACT: Bal. carried forward: \$3205.67

INCOME:	Interest (November)	<u>7.37</u>
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MAKE PAYMENT OUT TO I.O.W.M.C.



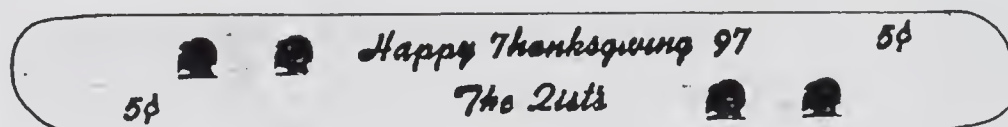
"Merced's Wurst" cont. from front page

My whole perception of life changed in the past few months, however--another California collector produced a Merced's Wurst" and we concluded a successful trade. What a wonderful addition to my collection! The price was not much, which only goes to show that sometimes even experienced collectors don't quite peg the actual value for a token, wood or otherwise--in my experience it is still rarer than the Quigley token, and if you add all those years of special anxiety, the value is astronomical! Just ask me.....

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What is the strangest place you ever located or found wooden money for your collection? Send in a short story to the editor for articles on "You just Never Know Where You'll Find Them"  
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PRESIDENT'S SAY

Once again we mourn the loss of a club leader in Toni Cichy. Toni was not only a past club secretary, she was also the club historian until the past ANA convention when she resigned that position. I have tried to get someone to take the position but for personal reasons they are unable to maintain the scrap book. I would like a club member to volunteer to fill this important role. It simply involves cutting news clippings about wooden money from any source at their disposal. This can come from, but not limited to, local newspapers, hobby publications, or from any other magazine. Members send in material to the club historian for our scrap books as well. Until a historian has been appointed I would like all members to spend a few minutes looking through their local publications for articles to be utilized in our scrapbooks. Mail the material to me for the present: Del Cushing, P.O.Box 88984, Seattle, WA. 98138-2984 Please include the information of where it was obtained from. (Publication and the date) This is one thing that all members can take part in regardless of time constraints. We need members to step up and give some of their time and energies for other committees. We need judges for the annual club or personal wood design contest. The Constitution committee needs members to review possible changes or modifications to the Articles of the Constitution. There are other functions which do not require club members to attend conventions or spend a great deal of time and still benefit the hobby. I have met only a few of the members of this organization over the past years and because you and I have not met and I have not asked you personally to be part of the working group does not mean the club doesn't want your input or help. This is where it is necessary for you to let me know how you would like to volunteer an hour or two, or less, a month to benefit the organization. Till next time. Del Cushing



Asking price is 50 cents plus an SASE or will trade my issue for one of yours. Clinton B. List
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an SASE: Send orders to:Bob
Hinamon, 1216 1/2Upper Vine
Street, CharlestonWV. 25302

13 Reasons Why Commemorative Wooden Money Is More Collectible

(Note; The term "commemorative" for the purpose of this article accurately describes "official" and some "semi-official" wooden money issues.)

- (1) Commemorative woods are actual historic relics from communities we live in or have often been to.
- (2) They were issued during events which we may have actually been present at.
- (3) Most carry the actual date and location as well as a description of the event celebrated.
- (4) They are very durable.
- (5) They are easily stored.
- (6) They often have beautiful designs crafted by local artists who we personally know.
- (7) They are colorful and eye catching when displayed,
- (8) They draw us into both the history and the geography of the area where they were issued from.
- (9) Most issues are large enough so that the pieces are realistically attainable for a collection, but small enough so that demand will always exceed supply. This factor will increase their value.
- (10) It is doubtful that large scale commercial production will ever blight the wood collecting hobby as it has the trading card or coin collecting hobby simply because most woods are issued for souvenir purposes to commemorate local events rather than to satisfy a national collector's market.
- (11) Wood collecting will always be a hobby where most of the locally produced woods will be in the possession of local people, and will be passed on from one generation to the next as heirlooms regardless of their monetary value or that of their scarcity.
- (12) The ideal way to collect woods is by community, with the County being the most popular and comprehensive while still remaining small enough to be manageable.
- (13) Most commemorative woods are "still out there: rather than in the hands of dealers or collectors. This makes most of them more attainable to the resourceful new collector who is putting their efforts on the area where they live.

Submitted By- Fred Gates R-1941

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WANTED-Tokens, Medals, Badges, & Pins, related to the Elks Clubs (B.P.O.E.) in any material such as wood-plastic-metal-cardboard-etc. Please send one piece or a complete collection with the prices you are willing to sell them for. I will answer all letters as soon as possible. Send to: William J. Carr, 502 Melrose Lane, Sebastian, FL. 32958-4996

Looking to add trains to your collection this year? 2" x 3" balsa flats with 40 different locomotives is being offered for sale at \$13.75 prepaid. Put your orders on track with: John R. Lawrence Sr. 25 North Wayne Ave., West Haverstraw, NY. 10993

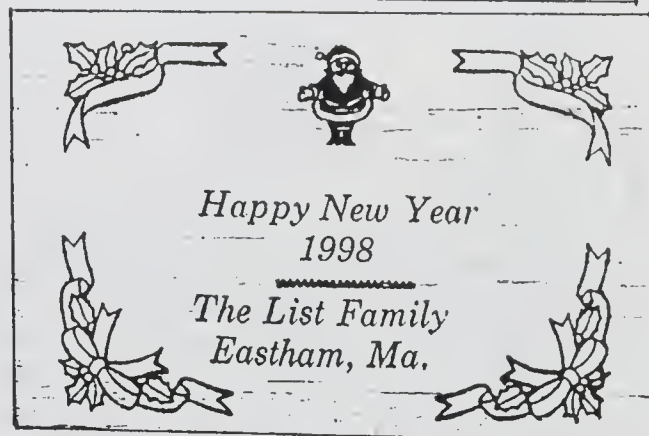
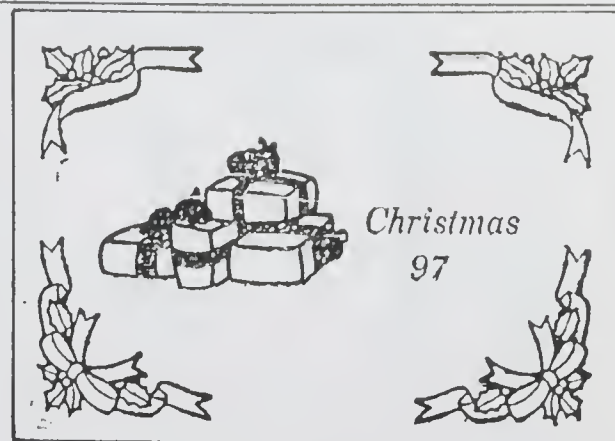
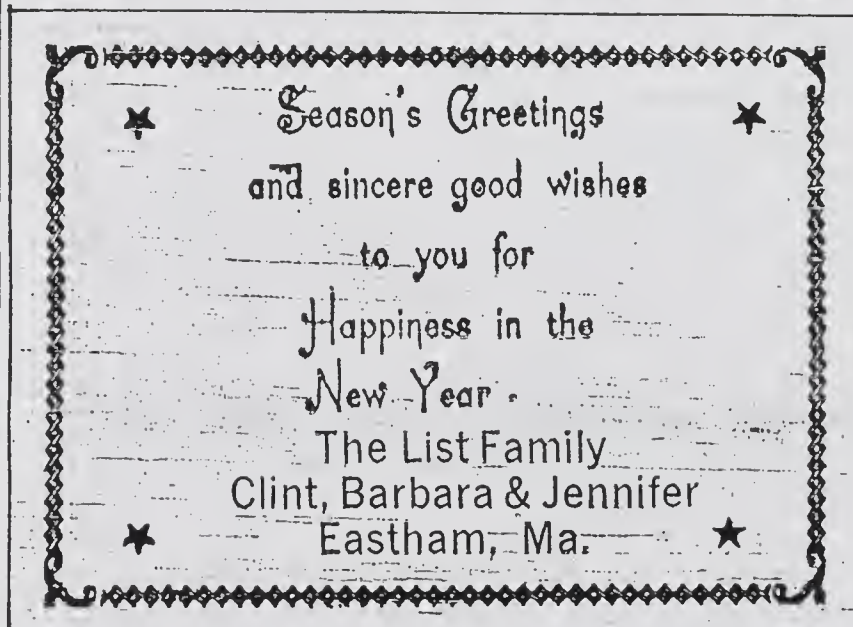
Pat Whalen reports that his # 4 train issue is being mailed out to the collectors who have placed orders for it, however, some need to check their records because payment has not been made by some collectors who ordered the # 3 train set issue. Collectors who have not received the newest issue need to send in payment for both wood issues or they will not receive the #4 order. Thank You for your support-Pat Whalen

New member looking for wood issues from Sambo's, Bars or taverns, and any from the Western States. He is looking for issues from his state as well. Send your information to: Brett Lyons, 515 S. Meadow St., Grangeville, Idaho. 83530

"Good For A Free Ride" in the new 1957 Mercury at 8600 W. Grand Dickens 2-1400 Grand-Central Mercury. Asking price is \$4.00 each or will sell three for \$10.00. Indian one side/black/31mm. Order from: Rich Hartzog, P.O.Box 4143, Rockford, IL. 61110







Willing to trade my Christmas wood for yours.  
Each pay their own postage. Send your trade to:  
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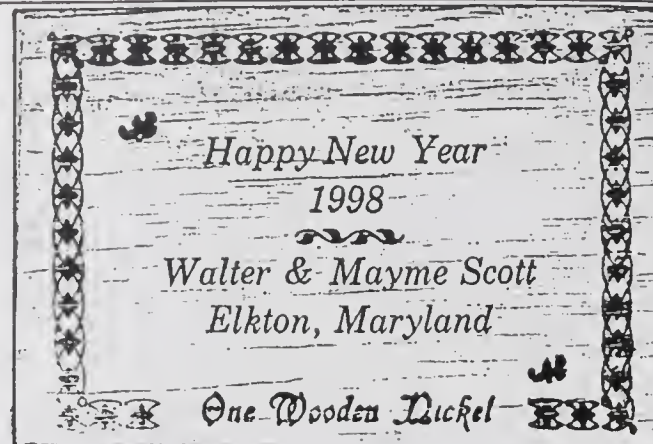
Do you have any of these California woods?

**BERNARD'S PHARMACY** (Gustine)  
CASTLE AERO CLUB  
**CLUB MERCEDES** (Merced)  
DESERT INN (Merced)

Would love to hear from you: John Hoffman  
POB 723 Merced, CA 95341 (209) 384-2498

Will trade my flats, each paying  
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50 cents for the large flat and 35  
cents each for the smaller plus  
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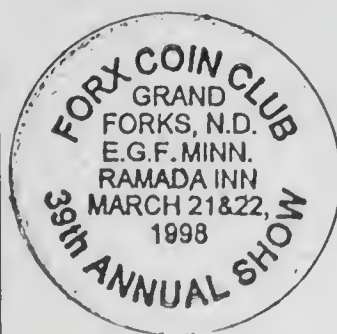
Scotty wants to trade his Christmas issue for yours. Each pay postage to mail to each other. Send yours to: Walter Scott, 413 Delaware Ave., Elkton, MD. 21921-6004



Kanawha Valley Coin Club is offering their past wood issues at 25 cents each plus an SASE. They report having the flat issues of 1977, 78, 79, 80, 81, 82, and 1983 (full set) on hand for sale. Wooden rounds can be found for the years from 1974, 78, 79, 81, 82, 83, 84, 85, 86, 88, 89, 90, 91, 92, 93, 94, 95, 96, and 1997. Some years have more than one color wood issued. Best to write and let them know what you are looking for. Don't forget to be fair in paying extra postage for your larger wood orders. Send your requests/Orders to: Bob Hinamon, 1216 1/2 Upper Vine Street, Charleston, WV. 25302

Wally Krocsko reports having purchased a 5 piece wooden nickel proof set from Chicago Area Coin Clubs. These sets are sealed in plastic and dated 1965. Wally stated he bought one and they are a great set to add to your collection. Send \$6.00 check or money order to: Dick Hoffarth, Box 97, Ft. Ogden, FL. 34267-0097 (ad was in last mo. Coin World Publication)

William J. Carr is looking to buy tokens, metals, badges, and pins that are related to Elks clubs (B.P.O.E.) in any type of material such as wood, plastic, metal, cardboard, etc. Please send items one piece or a complete collection with prices you are willing to sell them for. He will answer all letters as soon as possible. Send your list with prices to: William J. Carr, 502 Melrose Lane, Sebastian, FL. 32958-4996



Some coin clubs can't be washed away. Forx Coin Club lost their meeting room, the place for the coin show, and all the club records which meant starting over. Wood for sale has two colors printed. One is in Brown and the second one is in Green. Asking 25 cents for each and 50 cents for the pair plus an SASE. Send your request to: Michael McGurran, Sec'y/Treas., 1216 Chestnut Street, Grand Forks, ND 58201

Logansport, IN. 42nd Fall coin show wood for sale plus an SASE. Issue is green both sides with a buffalo. Cost is 25 cents each. Send orders to: The Misers Treasure, P.O.Box 3024, Kokomo, IN. 46904-3024



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| OHIO     | GEORGETOWN       | 1938 | SESQ             | 5C  | RED/GRN    |                     | ADD    |
| OHIO     | GEORGETOWN       | 1938 | SESQ             | 5C  | GRN/RED    |                     | ADD    |
| OHIO     | GEORGETOWN       | 1938 | SESQ             | 5C  | RED        |                     | ADD    |
| OHIO     | GEORGETOWN       | 1938 | SESQ             | 5C  | GRN/BLK    |                     | ADD    |
| OHIO     | GEORGETOWN       | 1938 | SESQ             | 5C  | BLK        |                     | ADD    |
| OHIO     | HARTFORD         | 1981 | FEST             | 5C  | BLK/RED    | APPLE               | ADD    |
| OHIO     | HINCKLEY TWP     | 1975 | SESQ             | 5C  | BLK        | BIRD                | ADD    |
| OHIO     | KENT             | 1956 | SESQ             | 10C | RED        | NOT 5C              | CHANGE |
| OHIO     | KENT             | 1956 | SESQ             | 25C | BLU        | NOT 5C              | CHANGE |
| OHIO     | KETTERING        | 1970 | DEDICATION       | 1\$ | BLK ON GLD | GOV'T CENTER        | ADD    |
| OHIO     | LORAIN           | 1959 | 125TH            | 5C  | RED        | NOT 175TH           | CHANGE |
| OHIO     | LORDSTOWN        | 1987 | FEST             | 5C  | BLK        | BUF                 | ADD    |
| OHIO     | LORDSTOWN        | 1987 | FEST             | 5C  | BLK        | LISTED PIECE IS IND | CHANGE |
| OHIO     | LORDSTOWN        | 1988 | FEST             | 5C  | BLK        | BUF                 | ADD    |
| OHIO     | LORDSTOWN        | 1988 | FEST             | 5C  | BLK        | LISTED PIECE IS IND | CHANGE |
| OHIO     | LOUDONVILLE      | 1964 | SESQ             | 5C  | BRN        | CABIN               | ADD    |
| OHIO     | MIAMI COUNTY     | 1953 | SESQ             | 10C | SET        | DELETE MIAMA        | CHANGE |
| OHIO     | MILLERSBURG      | 1985 | FEST             | 5C  | RED        | IND                 | ADD    |
| OHIO     | MOUNTVILLE       | 1989 | 175th            | 5C  | BLK        | IND                 | ADD    |
| OHIO     | NEW PHILADELPHIA | 1984 | 1st TOWN DAYS    | NV  | BLK        | QUAKER              | ADD    |
| OHIO     | OTTAWA/GLANDORF  | 1976 | BICENT           | 5C  | BLK        | IND                 | ADD    |
| OHIO     | PIQUA            | 1976 | BICENT           | 5C  | BLU/RED    | IND                 | ADD    |
| OHIO     | PROSPECT         | 1976 | BICENT           | 5C  | BLK        | SM BUF IN CIRCLE    | CHANGE |
| OHIO     | PROSPECT         | 1976 | BICENT           | 5C  | BLK        | LG BUF NO CIRCLE    | ADD    |
| OHIO     | SOUTH POINT      | 1989 | HERITAGE DAYS    | 5C  | RED        | IND                 | ADD    |
| OHIO     | SOUTH POINT      | 1989 | HERITAGE DAYS    | 5C  | BLU        | BUF                 | ADD    |
| OHIO     | WAVERLY          | 1965 | SESQ             | 5C  | RED/BLK    | IND                 | ADD    |
| OHIO     | WAVERLY          | 1965 | SESQ             | 5C  | RED/BLK    | BUF                 | ADD    |
| OHIO     | WILLIAMSBURG     | 1996 | BICENT           | 5C  | BLK        | BUF                 | ADD    |
| OHIO     | ZANESVILLE       | 1979 | ZANES TRACE COMM | 5C  | BRN        |                     | CHANGE |
| OHIO     | ZANESVILLE       | 1981 | ZANES TRACE COMM | 5C  | BRN        | BICYCLE             | ADD    |
| OKLAHOMA | MAUD             | 1996 | CENT             | 5C  | BLK        | IND                 | ADD    |
| OKLAHOMA | OKLAHOMA CITY    | 1982 | DIAM             | 5C  | BLK        |                     | ADD    |
| OKLAHOMA | OKLAHOMA CITY    | 1982 | DIAM             | 5C  | GRN        |                     | ADD    |
| OKLAHOMA | OKLAHOMA CITY    | 1982 | DIAM             | 5C  | RED        |                     | ADD    |
| OKLAHOMA | OKLAHOMA CITY    | 1982 | DIAM             | 5C  | PUR        |                     | ADD    |
| OREGON   | ALBANY           | 1967 | CRAZY DAYS       | 5C  | BLK        | BUF                 | ADD    |
| OREGON   | ALBANY           | 1977 | CARNIVAL         | 5C  | BLK        | IND                 | ADD    |
| OREGON   | CANBY            | 1959 | FAIR             | 5C  | PUR        | IND                 | ADD    |
| OREGON   | COLUMBIA         | 1989 | FAIR             | 5C  | BLK        | BUF                 | ADD    |
| OREGON   | LAKE GROVE       | ND   | BOONES FERRY DAY | 5C  | BLU/BRN    | IND                 | ADD    |
| OREGON   | LAKE GROVE       | ND   | BOONES FERRY DAY | 5C  | BLU/BRN    | IND IN CIRCLE       | ADD    |
| OREGON   | MILL CITY        | ND   | JULY 4th         | 5C  | BLK        | BUF [1983]          | ADD    |
| OREGON   | MOLALLA          | ND   | C of COMMERCE    | 5C  | GRN        | IND                 | ADD    |
| OREGON   | NORTH BEND       | 1984 | JUB              | 5C  | BLK        | IND                 | ADD    |
| OREGON   | RIDDLE           | 1993 | CENT             | NV  | BLK/GRN    | SEAL                | ADD    |
| OREGON   | VERONIA          | 1991 | CENT             | 5C  | BLK        | IND                 | ADD    |
| PENNA.   | ALLEGHANY CO     | 1959 | CENT             | 5C  | RED        | BUF                 | ADD    |
| PENNA.   | BELLWOOD         | 1988 | CENT             | 5C  | BLK        | IND                 | ADD    |
| PENNA.   | BLOOMSBURG       | 1952 | SESQ             | 5C  | RED        | 2nd ISSUE           | ADD    |
| PENNA.   | BLOOMSBURG       | 1979 | 125th            | NV  | BLK/BRN    |                     | ADD    |
| PENNA.   | BRIDGEVILLE      | 1951 | GOLD             | 5C  | RED        |                     | ADD    |
| PENNA.   | BRIDGEVILLE      | 1951 | GOLD             | 10C | BLK        |                     | ADD    |
| PENNA.   | BRIDGEVILLE      | 1951 | GOLD             | 25C | GRN        |                     | ADD    |
| PENNA.   | CENTRE HALL      | 1973 | FAIR             | 5C  | RED        | BUF                 | ADD    |
| PENNA.   | CENTRE HALL      | 1974 | FAIR             | 5C  | BLK        | BUF                 | ADD    |
| PENNA.   | CONNEAUT LAKE    | 1996 | BICENT           | 5C  | BLK        | IND                 | ADD    |
| PENNA.   | CORRY            | 1961 | CENT             | 5C  | RED        | IND 7-11-61         | ADD    |
| PENNA.   | E. PENNSBOROUGH  | 1976 | BICENT           | NV  | BLK        |                     | ADD    |
| PENNA.   | ELYSBURG         | 1989 | HOMECOMING       | NV  | BLK        |                     | ADD    |
| PENNA.   | ELYSBURG         | 1990 | HOMECOMING       | NV  | BLK        |                     | ADD    |
| PENNA.   | ELYSBURG         | 1991 | HOMECOMING       | NV  | BLK        |                     | ADD    |
| PENNA.   | ELYSBURG         | 1992 | HOMECOMING       | NV  | BLK        |                     | ADD    |
| PENNA.   | ELYSBURG         | 1993 | HOMECOMING       | NV  | BLK        |                     | ADD    |
| PENNA.   | ELYSBURG         | 1994 | 75th             | NV  | BLK        |                     | ADD    |
| PENNA.   | ELYSBURG         | 1995 | 76th             | NV  | BLK        |                     | ADD    |
| PENNA.   | ELYSBURG         | 1996 | 77th             | NV  | BLK        |                     | ADD    |



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| PENNA | EVENDALE         | 1991 | FEST & HC     | 5C  | BLK        | BUF                          | ADD    |
| PENNA | FAIRVIEW         | 1979 | FOUNDERS DAY  | 10C | BLU        | IND CHIEF IN CIRCLE          | ADD    |
| PENNA | FORD CITY        | 1965 | HOMECOMING    | 5C  | BLK        | IND W/O CITY                 | ADD    |
| PENNA | FORD CITY        | 1965 | HOMECOMING    | 5C  | BLK        | LAUGHING IND W/CITY          | ADD    |
| PENNA | FORTY FORT       | 1962 |               | 5C  | RED        |                              | ADD    |
| PENNA | GALLITZIN        | 1973 | CENT          | 5C  | BLK        | BUF                          | ADD    |
| PENNA | GETTYSBURG       | 1986 | BICENT        | 5C  | RED        | BUF                          | ADD    |
| PENNA | GLENDON          | 1967 | CENT          | 5C  | BLK        | BUF                          | ADD    |
| PENNA | GLENDON          | 1967 | CENT          | 5C  | BLK        | LISTED PIECE IS IND          | CHANGE |
| PENNA | GOSCHENHOPPEN    | 1969 | FEST          | NV  | BLK ON GLD | FLOWER                       | ADD    |
| PENNA | HANOVER          | 1963 | BICENT        | 5C  | ORN        | IND                          | ADD    |
| PENNA | HANOVER          | 1963 | BICENT        | 5C  | GRN/BLK    | IND                          | ADD    |
| PENNA | HANOVER          | 1963 | BICENT        | 5C  | BLK/GRN    | IND                          | ADD    |
| PENNA | HANOVER          | 1963 | BICENT        | 5C  | BLK/GRN    | BUF                          | ADD    |
| PENNA | HARRISBURG       | 1960 | CENT          | 5C  | BLK        | IND                          | ADD    |
| PENNA | HERBERLIG        |      |               | 5C  | RED        |                              | ADD    |
| PENNA | HERBERLIG        |      |               | 5C  | BLK        | IND                          | ADD    |
| PENNA | HIGHSPIRE        | 1985 | BICENT        | 5C  | BLK        | IND                          | ADD    |
| PENNA | JEANNETTE        | 1963 | 75th          | 5C  | RED        | DELETE ONE OF BLUES          | CHANGE |
| PENNA | JEFFERSON        | 1966 | CENT          | 5C  | BLK        | JEFFERSON/IND                | ADD    |
| PENNA | LOWER PAXTON     | 1967 | BICENT        | 5C  | BLU/BLK    | PRINT/IND                    | ADD    |
| PENNA | LOWER PAXTON     | 1967 | BICENT        | 5C  | BLU/BLK    | SEAL/IND                     | ADD    |
| PENNA | LOWER PAXTON     | 1967 | BICENT        | 5C  | BLK        | SEAL/PRINT                   | ADD    |
| PENNA | MARYSVILLE       | 1966 | CENT          | 5C  | BLK        | SM BRAVE IN CIRCLE           | ADD    |
| PENNA | MARYSVILLE       | 1966 | CENT          | 5C  | BLK        | SM IND                       | ADD    |
| PENNA | McADOO           | 1996 | CENT          | 5C  | BLK        | BUF                          | ADD    |
| PENNA | McCONNELLSBURG   | 1986 | BICENT        | 5C  | BLK        | IND                          | ADD    |
| PENNA | McDONALD         | 1964 | DIAM JUB      | 50C | BLK        | TOWN SCENE                   | ADD    |
| PENNA | McDONALD         | 1964 | DIAM JUB      | 50C | BLU/BLK    | TOWN SCENE/IND               | ADD    |
| PENNA | McDONALD         | 1964 | DIAM JUB      | 50C | RED/BLK    | IND                          | ADD    |
| PENNA | McDONALD         | 1964 | DIAM JUB      | 50C | RED/BLK    | BUF                          | ADD    |
| PENNA | MIFFLIN          | 1976 | BICENT        | 5C  | BLK        | MISPELLED MUFFLIN            | CHANGE |
| PENNA | MILLERSTOWN      | 1976 | BICENT        | 5C  | BLK        | BUF                          | CHANGE |
| PENNA | MONTGOMERY       | 1962 | DIAM JUB      | 5C  | GRN        | BUF                          | ADD    |
| PENNA | NESCOPEE         | 1996 | CENT          | 5C  | GRN        | IND                          | ADD    |
| PENNA | NEW CARLISLE     | 1973 | FEST          | 5C  | BRN        | IND                          | ADD    |
| PENNA | NEW FREEDOM      | 1979 | CENT          | 5C  | BLK        | DAY VI                       | ADD    |
| PENNA | NEW FREEDOM      | 1981 | CENT          | 5C  | RED        | ANNIV VIII 8-8-81            | ADD    |
| PENNA | NORTH CODORUS    | 1988 | SESQ          | 5C  | PUR        |                              | ADD    |
| PENNA | NORTH CODORUS    | 1988 | SESQ          | 5C  | BRN        |                              | ADD    |
| PENNA | NORTH VERSAILLES | 1969 | CENT          | 5C  | BLK/BLU    | IND                          | ADD    |
| PENNA | NORTH VERSAILLES | 1969 | CENT          | 5C  | BLK ON SIL | BLK BUF                      | ADD    |
| PENNA | NORTH VERSAILLES | 1969 | CENT          | 5C  | BLK        | LISTED PIECE IS BUF          | CHANGE |
| PENNA | NORTH VERSAILLES | 1994 | 125th         | 5C  | BLK        | BUFF                         | ADD    |
| PENNA | NORTH WHITEHALL  | 1976 | BICENT        | 5C  | BLK        | IND - ISSUED FOR BICENT      | CHANGE |
| PENNA | NORTH YORK       | 1974 | DIAM JUB      | 5C  | BRN        | DELETE BLK PIECE             | CHANGE |
| PENNA | NORTHUMBERLAND   |      | PKD           |     |            | CORRECT SPELLING             | CHANGE |
| PENNA | OAKLAND          | 1984 | CENT          | 5C  | BLK        | IND                          | ADD    |
| PENNA | PATTERSON GROVE  | 1968 | CENT          | 25C | BLK        |                              | ADD    |
| PENNA | PERRY COUNTY     | 1970 | SESQ          | 5C  | BLK/       | REDISH BRN IND               | ADD    |
| PENNA | PERRY COUNTY     | 1970 | SESQ          | 5C  | BLK/       | RED IND                      | ADD    |
| PENNA | PERRYOPOLIS      | 1964 | SESQ          | 5C  | BLK        | IND DIFF IND FROM LISTED ONE | ADD    |
| PENNA | PHILIPSBURG      | 1997 | BICENT        | 5C  | RED        |                              | ADD    |
| PENNA | RICHFIELD        | 1976 | DUTCH DAYS    | 5C  | BLK        | BUF W/O DATE                 | ADD    |
| PENNA | RICHFIELD        | 1976 | DUTCH DAYS    | 5C  | BLK        | BUF WITH 1976 IN RED         | CHANGE |
| PENNA | RICHFIELD        | 1976 | DEICHA DAUGHA | 5C  | BLK        | IND W/O DATE                 | ADD    |
| PENNA | RICHFIELD        | 1976 | DEICHA DAUGHA | 5C  | BLK        | IND WITH 1776 IN RED         | CHANGE |
| PENNA | RICHFIELD        | 1977 | FEST          | NV  | BLK        | ANNUAL MISPELLED             | ADD    |
| PENNA | ROARING SPRINGS  | 1987 | CENT          | NV  | PINK       | IND                          | ADD    |
| PENNA | ROARING SPRINGS  | 1987 | CENT          | NV  | PUR        | IND                          | ADD    |
| PENNA | ROARING SPRINGS  | 1987 | CENT          | NV  | GRN        | IND                          | ADD    |
| PENNA | ROARING SPRINGS  | 1987 | CENT          | NV  | BLU        | IND                          | ADD    |
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## COMMUNICATE IT INK COMPANY

A few miles outside of San Antonio, near Camp Bullis, Texas, hidden in the hill country, is a small villa. This is the home of the wooden money factory, Communicate It Ink. Go visit David Niesen and his folks and you will get a good education on the modern ways wooden nickels and dollars are made. You will be fascinated in the procedure; I sure was. We would think there would be presses and the old roller type printer working to make woods. Not any more! The process now is the "silk screening" mode, much like is done to get a photograph put on a tee shirt. The entire process starts by David working the art requirements needed to put designs on the wooden nickel.

David designs the wood on a computer. He uses graphics from all types of computer programs, or draws the needed art himself. The lettering is nothing more than typed lines, using arcs and different fonts. Once the design is completed, the "original" is duplicated into templates and "printed" onto acetate plastic. The templates are lined up in sheets and then heat transferred onto a screen film, making a "negative" master which can be inked on the negative part of the master and that is what comes out on the wood. The screening process does take some time and there are periods where David and his people have to wash the negative plates and wait for drying periods. I have tried to explain the process in a basic outline and am sure there are complicated steps I have oversimplified. But, the screening process makes the woods much more clear, detailed, and the art work better pleasing to the eye. The process does take on another spectrum when the woods are to be printed in different colors on the same side, when the desire is a number or year overprint, or the outcome is to be a design with a different ink color in a shadowing effect.

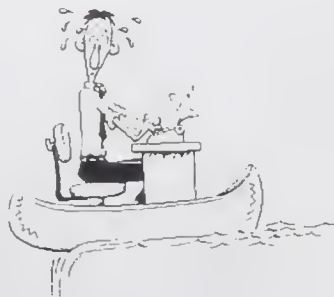
The company relates they can produce several hundred different woods at once. The hold up would be the number of sheets they would have available to do so. Mr. Niesen stressed his company is progressing and he will have a larger stock of sheets in the future. I thought this was a mute point as I saw the production of numerous woods in the short visits I made to the factory. Yes, Communicate It Ink Co. is growing very rapidly and I kinda feel they will lead the market shortly in wooden money production.

My first visit to the company was when they had made about 300 different woods. My second visit was about four months later and they had made 400 to 500 more woods. Plus during my last visit, David informed me he was slightly behind with some 30 orders waiting to be completed. He had run out of wood blanks, but had received a shipment of some 100,000 plus while I was there.

The last part of this article is intended to give you information about the owner and operator of this small company David Niesen has made a couple of woods for me. He bent over backwards to ensure my woods were done expertly and with the highest quality. But, in one case, I put the pressure on him and had to have the wood completed for the 50th Anniversary of the US Air Force and the lead time for David was only a day and a half.... Guess what.....the wood was done perfectly and delivered to meet my schedule. David has told me numerous times he is willing to try and develop any type of wood piece a collector or club would want. He is very interested in furthering the wooden money collecting hobby. He worked the cardboard page for displays and had it designed to be used as a means to ensure securing woods during shipment between the collectors. He has also worked to design woods with different colors in overlays and has produced several woods with different planchet painted in different colors. Further, he is investigating ways to produce quality wood flats and I would suspect this project will be concluded in the near future. I hope this short article has given you some perspective on the way our woods are made now and provides some information on one wooden money factory, Communicate It Ink.

Article submitted by: Russ Daisley





### From The Editor's Desk

A moment of your attention please! The January issue of Bunyan's Chips listed woods that were for sale by John Lawrence. This was an error on the editor's part, as these woods were not for sale to club members. I apologize for the time, effort, and funds spent on your orders. It is nice to know that the membership is reading their newsletter & collecting woods. Unfortunately, this had to be learned by my error. Again, sorry for the error on my part!

#### IOWMC TREASURER'S REPORT AS OF JAN. 31, 1998

**CHECKING ACCOUNT:** Balance carried forward: \$552.94

##### INCOME:

Dues \$235.00  
Ticket Sales (Quinn) 159.00  
Donations (Johnson/Carr/  
Lawrence/Shellaby/Hess) 23.50

\$417.50

##### EXPENSES:

Editor \$300.00  
Net Gain: \$117.50  
Bal. Ckg. Act.: \$670.44

**SAVINGS ACCOUNT:** Balance carried forward: \$2407.59

INCOME: Interest (December) \$ 4.35  
Balance Savings Account: \$2411.94

**LIFE MEMBERSHIP ACT.:** Bal. carried forward: \$3213.04

INCOME: Interest (December) \$ 8.71  
Bal. Life Mem. Act.: \$3221.75

Virginia H. Dennis  
IOWMC Treasurer

#### IOWMC ANNUAL BENEFIT/RAFFLE DRAWING

Once again, I have accepted to be the Chairperson of our Organization's fund raising project. This project has helped to defray club expenses, which increases yearly, and this also has prevented any increase of membership dues.

I have decided to start a little earlier on this project to insure that it is as successful as it has been in the past. Hopefully, I want to publish in Chips a list of auction material so those members who cannot attend the annual convention will have an opportunity to make a mail bid, which will be the starting price of item up for auction.

Response in the past has been great and I know we can count on ALL MEMBERS to participate by not only purchasing tickets but by donating items or cash for the door prizes. The sooner your donations are received, the more time I will have to work on total prizes to be given out or auctioned.

When sending in your contribution, please designate if you want it as a door prize or if it should be an auction item.

All inquiries and donations for the 1998 IOWMC FUND RAISING PROJECT should be sent to Virginia Dennis, 1852 Golden Shadow Drive, Henderson, NV 89015-8620.



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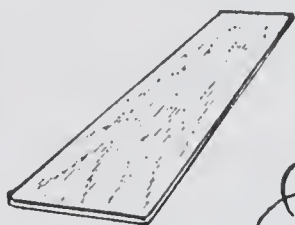
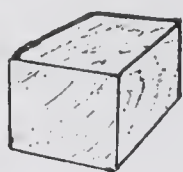
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# Interesting Facts About BALSA WOOD

**Where does balsa wood come from?** Balsa trees grow naturally in the humid rain forests of Central and South America. Its natural range extends south from Guatemala, through Central America, to the north and west coast of South America as far as Bolivia. However, the small country of Ecuador, on the western coast of South America, is the primary source of model aircraft grade balsa in the world. Balsa needs a warm climate with plenty of rainfall and good drainage. For that reason, the best stands of balsa usually appear on the high ground between tropical rivers. Ecuador has the ideal geography and climate for growing balsa trees. The scientific name for balsa wood is *Ochroma lagopus*. The word balsa itself is Spanish meaning raft, in reference to its excellent flotation qualities. In Ecuador it is known as Boya, meaning buoy.

**How does balsa wood grow?** There is no such thing as entire forests of balsa trees. They grow singly or in very small, widely scattered groups in the jungle. For hundreds of years, balsa was actually considered a weed tree. They reproduce by growing hundreds of long seed pods, which eventually open up and, with the help of the wind, scatter thousands of new seeds over a large area of the jungle. Each seed is airborne on its own small wisp of down, similar to the way dandelion seeds spread. The seeds eventually fall to the ground and are covered by the litter of the jungle. There they lay and accumulate until one day there is an opening in the jungle canopy large enough for the sun's rays to strike the jungle floor and start the seeds growing. Wherever there was a opening, made either by a farmer or by another tree dying, balsa will spring up as thick as grass. A farmer is often hard put to keep his food plot clear of balsa. As the new balsa trees grow, the strongest will become predominate and the weaker trees will die. By the time they are mature, there may be only one or two balsa trees to an acre of jungle. There they lay and accumulate until one day there is an opening in the jungle canopy large enough for the sun's rays to strike the jungle floor and start the seeds growing. Wherever there was an opening, made either by a farmer or by another tree dying, balsa will become predominate and the weaker trees will die. By the time they mature, there may be only one or two trees to an acre.

**How long does it take a Balsa tree to grow?** Balsa trees grow very rapidly (like all pesky weeds). Six months after their germination, the tree is about 1-1/2 inches in diameter and 10 - 12 feet tall! In 6 to 10 years the tree is ready for cutting down, and will have reached a height of 60 to 90 feet tall and a diameter of 12 to 45 inches.

**How are Balsa trees harvested?** The real start of the balsa business was back in World War 1, when the allies were in need of a plentiful substitute for cork. The only drawback to using balsa was, and still is, the back breaking work that is necessary to get it out of the jungle. Because of the way the individual balsa trees are scattered throughout the jungles, it has never been possible to use mass production logging procedures or equipment. The best way to log balsa trees is to go back to the methods of Paul Bunyan- chop them down with an axe, haul them to the nearest river by ox team, tie them together as rafts, and then float them to the nearest saw mill. At the mill the raw balsa is first rough cut into large boards, then carefully kiln dried, and finally packed into bales for shipment to the U.S. via ocean freighter. Final cutting and finishing on the balsa are done here.

**Why is balsa so light?** The secret to balsa wood's lightness can only be seen under a microscope. The cells are big and very thin walled, so that the ratio of solid matter to open space is as small as possible. Most woods have gobs of heavy, plastic-like cement, called lignin, holding the cells together. In balsa, lignin is at a minimum. Only about 40% of the volume of a piece of balsa is solid substance. Balsa wood cells are full of water to give the tree strength when standing. This also means that it takes two weeks for balsa to be in the kiln to reduce the water content to 6%.

**How light is kiln dried balsa wood?** Finished balsa wood, like you find in model airplane kits, varies in weight. Balsa is occasionally found weighing as little as 4 lbs. per square foot. However, the general rule to commercial balsa for model airplanes will weigh between 6 pounds to 18 pounds per cu. ft. Eight to twelve pound balsa is considered medium or the woods average weight, and is by far the most plentiful. Six pounds or less is considered "contest grade", which is very rare and sometimes even impossible to obtain.

**Is balsa the lightest wood in the world?** No! Most people are surprised to hear that botanically, balsa wood is only about the third or fourth lightest wood in the world. However, all the woods which are lighter than balsa are terribly weak and unsuitable for any practical use. The very lightest varieties don't really resemble wood at all, as we commonly think of it, but are more like a tree-like vegetable that grows in rings, similar in texture to an onion. It is not until balsa is reached that there is any sign of real strength combined with lightness. In fact, balsa wood is often considered the strongest wood for its weight in the world today. Pound for pound it is stronger in some respects than pine, hickory, or even the mighty oak..... Next time you are looking at a Christmas flat made out of balsa wood, you should realize it is even more special for what it has taken a part of the balsa tree to reach your collection!!! (Information for article provided by John Lawrence)



## Sambo's Owner Plans Comeback for Eatery

**Business:** Grandson of co-founder wants to restore Santa Barbara restaurant to its former glory and relaunch the chain. But some foresee a revival of controversy over name. Article by Valerie Burgher, Times Staff Writer.

Tucked away on the beachfront rests a small restaurant where the waitresses wear floral print shirts and green half aprons, the coffee is cheap and children can order Mama Mumbo's French toast and Papa Jumbo's favorite. Seven panels line the wall showing the story of a child and a tiger. The sign outside reads "Sambo's" in plain black letters. The Cabrillo Boulevard restaurant has operated for four decades and remains the last standing testament to what was once a nationwide chain that flourished in the late 1950's and '60s. Ten years ago, the chain succumbed to financial mismanagement and heated opposition to the restaurants' name by civil rights groups, which said "Sambo" was an unacceptable racial stereotype. Now, the once successful and controversial Sambo's is planning a comeback. Chad Stevens, the Santa Barbara restaurant's newest owner and grandson of co-founder Sam Battistone, wants to revitalize the sleepy eatery, bringing the original site back to its former financial glory and slowly relaunching the chain. But renewed promotion of the Sambo's name, some say, will create the same essential problems encountered 20 years ago. "It's racially insensitive" said Jeffery T. Sammons, a professor of history at New York University who does well remember the years of Sambo's national expansion. "Sambo was a cartoon when I was a kid, and it was little black Sambo who represented black innocence, backwardness and a comedic quality..It demonstrated a tremendous disregard for the humanity of black people. There is no way that they cannot know that this is problematic." Hyping Sambo's is far from harmless, agreed Robin Kelley, visiting professor of literature at Stanford University, "because of what Sambo means for the 20th century". The image, he said, "will always be linked to the stupid, shuffling black male. And no matter what they do, it will never be OK for a white man to operate a Sambo's. Author Helen Bannerman introduced America to the character of Sambo in 1899 with her children's book "The Story of Little Black Sambo." In the book, the eponymous hero outsmarts a greedy tiger that eventually turns into butter, which is then poured onto a stack of pancakes. Though the setting was India, the pictures that accompanied Bannerman's text-of a dark mahogany boy with wild nappy hair and big red lips-eventually transformed him into a stereotype of happy-go-lucky blacks in the American South. By the 1920's and '30s the term "Sambo" had become a racial stereotype. The restaurant name, however, began innocently enough. It was the idea of Battistone and his partner Neil "Bo" Bohnett, who put their heads-and names-together to create Sambo's. Then the pair took the children's story as their theme and eventually expanded the Santa Barbara eatery into a 1,200-outlet franchise. But when Battistone died in 1991, only the one restaurant-with moderate business-remained. "It will be a dream come true to resurrect something that my family built", said Stevens, the only one of Battistone's 16 grandchildren in the restaurant business. Stevens plans to begin by setting up a World Wide Web page for the restaurant, marketing Sambo-related merchandise and launching a major advertising campaign to remind former and future customers that the eatery still exists and should only grow. The resurrection, Stevens acknowledged, will depend on how the eating public receives the name. Stevens said that he recognizes the weight the term holds, but that it was never intended to harm. "It's a fair tale," he said. "In the late '60s and early '70s, it was a very sensitive time. There was a sense of political correctness and militancy....Sambo's was caught up in all that. But Sambo's was not a political issue; it was just the names of the two founders". Since the demise of the chain, which once reached into 48 states the Santa Barbara restaurant has little advertising and received few complaints about the name, employees say. "Mostly people are just curious". said Sambo's waitress Katherine Robinson. "They don't usually have a problem. It's just that people perceive the company went [ out of business] because of the name". They ask, 'how come you haven't had to change it? I guess at one time it had a negative connection, but most customers don't bring it up." Stevens said his grandfather's intention was never to make waves, just to provide families with quality food at a reasonable price. Battistone grew up in rural Pennsylvania, the son of a coal mining Italian immigrants. He moved to Santa Barbara at the end of the Depression, looking for a way to establish himself. He worked as a busboy, waiter, and manager in a host of California restaurants before meeting Bohnett and deciding to build something he could call his own. With their earnings, the pair opened the first restaurant-on the Cabrillo Boulevard site-in June 1957. They later copyrighted the Sambo's name and story for use in their family-oriented business. As the chain expanded across the country, the concept "played in Peoria," but once the restaurants reached into the East, resistance among black laedership intensified. "Sometimes the Sambo's thing got them into hot water," remembered Joe Prevedello, who worked with the chain beginning in 1968. Continued on page 19 as "Sambo's Comeback"



## "Sambo's Comeback" Cont. from page 18

"Somewhere between Michigan and Florida we got hit pretty hard." By the late '70s, several Eastern states had gone to court over the issue of whether the chain should change its name. The Urban League and chapters of the National Assn. for the Advancement of Colored People in Connecticut, Rhode Island and New York asked for an official name change if the restaurant were to remain open. After the Rhode Island NAACP and the Urban League's Providence chapter filed a complaint in 1978, that state's Human Rights Commission decided that "the use of the name 'Sambo's had the effect of notifying black persons that they were unwelcome at any of the Sambo's restaurants because of their race." Battistone stuck by his contention that Sambo's did no harm, but in some places adopted the names The Jolly Tiger or No Place Like Sam's. In some Southern locations, the restaurants were called No Place Like Sam's from the beginning. While the racial controversy brewed, the chain was experiencing severe money problems. Its demise had more to do with financial mismanagement than African American opposition to the concept. The late '70s proved a difficult time for Sambo's Restaurants Inc. A restructuring of its managerial investment program led to a walkout of 600 managers in 1979. The corporation's leaders replaced Battistone as chief executive of the company. His successor was later sued for \$8 million for allegedly funneling money away from the company into his cattle-ranching scheme. The franchise eroded further with health code violation fines and a copyright infringement suit by Dr. Pepper over a Sambo's jingle. By 1982, most of the restaurants had been sold, and the corporation was forced to file for bankruptcy. Sambo's aficionados and employees are hoping that Stevens' business savvy will reestablish the restaurant and lead to an eventual renaissance of the chain. He has already turned his first Santa Barbara eatery, Chad's, into a success. For Stevens, playing up the Sambo's theme is simply a business decision. "My main goal a year ago was to change the name," he said. "I thought we would have to drop it. But then people came in here and wanted to buy the Sambo's memorabilia. It started to make me think that this was a valuable brand." Stevens said he is ready to take customer surveys to help determine what they want to see in the restaurant. "If we get complaints about the name in the future," he said, "that's something we'll think about and deal with". Professor Sammons said the current cultural climate allows places such as Sambo's and Hooters, another controversial restaurant chain that some women find offensive, to go unchecked. "You have to weigh the questions of group sensitivity over personal satisfaction," he said. "The owners [of Sambo's] obviously have some connection to the name, and this seems to be saying that their personal choice in this name is going to be more important than the right of the group-in this case black people-to not be subjected to this." Los Angeles Times Jan.12, 1998

### PRESIDENT'S SAY

To begin with I have two questions to ask the membership. One: *"What is the easiest thing to do?"* Two: *"What seems to be the hardest word to say?"* Answers to these two questions can be found at the end of this article.

In last month's newsletter I wrote of the Wood Design Contest and the need for judges. When entering the contest in one of the categories it is necessary to send two(2) copies. The winners will be announced at the IOWMC General meeting in Portland. The categories are: Club, Personal, Organization or Commemorative which YOU personally have designed. Where to send the woods will be announced in next month's newsletter so Please hold on to them. Have you something which you believe should be addressed by the Board of Governors at the next Board Meeting? A letter, post card or a phone call to that effect and what needs to be discussed should be sent in to one of the officers. We can't effectively govern without input. Keep in mind that suggestions which would be detrimental to the health of the organization or hobby will swiftly be "Round Filed". Any suggestion that IOWMC be disbanded in favor of starting another wooden money club centered somewhere other than the ANA Conventions will not be met with my approval. I am looking forward to celebrating IOWMC's 35th Anniversary in Chicago and would hope that members unable to attend the Portland convention will make it to Chicago. I will be driving to Chicago and hopefully picking up some woods along the way or meeting with "Woodies" and doing some trading.

I said the answers to the two questions would appear about now so here they are.

Answer to #1: *PROCASTINATE* (something I am guilty of) Answer to #2: *YES* (When someone asks for you to Volunteer). The Prez: *Del Cushing*



In Memory of  
Walter H. Riley R-842

Walter was another of our very active members serving two terms as our club President in 1979 and 1989, our clubs 15th and 25th Anniv. The 15th Anniv. event chaired by Walter was the second largest wood collectors meet and was held in St. Louis, Missouri. Walter also served as an Ambassador in the ANA.

Walter Scott

Clair W. "Jack" Gladfelter CLM-90

Loosing Charter members is always very sad in our club. Jack & his wife Ruth were very active in years past. He can be remembered by his personal-many home made Christmas woods. His hobby was wood crafting of various items, one remembered was making flower wagons out of old wood soda bottle cases. Jack joins the many that will be missed by his fellow collectors & friends.

Walter Scott

James Quinn R-629

After I accepted the duties as club secretary, James started to write to me due in part to our last names being the same. He told me that he enjoyed the hobby, and having made so many friends through correspondence over the years. A few years back, he had not paid his yearly dues, so I paid them to keep him current. He returned the funds, along with some woods, and a note of thanks saying that "us Quinn's need to look out for each other". Another member to be missed.

Robbin Quinn



The Maryland State Numismatic Association is selling their wooden nickels at 6 for \$1.00 plus they request a self addressed envelope with 55 cent postage per each order of 6 woods. They report having wood issues from 1979 to 1996. These issues have the MSNA Shield on one side, and show information on the other. Because quantities vary by each year, there is no way to guarantee that all will be available to all collectors. Send orders to: MSNA Woods, P.O.Box 6533, Sparrows Point, MD. 21219.

This wood is their 1998 issue and is for sale at 25 cents each plus an SASE from the same address as noted above. Wood color is unknown to me.



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| S DAKOTA  | PARKER          | 1979 | CENT          | 5C   | BLK     | WAGON                     | ADD    |
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| TENN.     | COLUMBIA        | 1990 | MULE DAY      | 5C   | BRN     | BUF                       | ADD    |
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| TEXAS     | AUBREY          | 1967 | CENT          | 5C   | BLU/PUR | IND                       | ADD    |
| TEXAS     | AUSTIN          | ND   | FEST          | 5C   | BLK     | IND [1983]                | ADD    |
| TEXAS     | CRYSTAL CITY    | 1982 | FEST          | NV   | BLK     | POPPYE                    | ADD    |
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| TEXAS     | FLATONIA        | 1973 | CENT          | 5C   | BLK     | BUF                       | ADD    |
| TEXAS     | GILMER          | 1990 | YAMBOREE      | 5C   | BLK     | IND                       | ADD    |
| TEXAS     | GRAND PRAIRIE   | ND   | CHAMB of COMM | 5C   | BLK     | BRANDING IRON - UP        | ADD    |
| TEXAS     | GRAND PRAIRIE   | ND   | CHAMB of COMM | 5C   | BLK     | BRANDING IRON - DOWN      | ADD    |
| TEXAS     | KIRBY           | 1987 | DERBY DAYS    | 1\$  | BLK     |                           | ADD    |
| TEXAS     | LA GRANGE       | ND   | CHAMB of COMM | 5C   | GRN     | IND                       | ADD    |
| TEXAS     | MISSOURI CITY   | 1985 | JULY 4th      | 5C   | BLK     | IND                       | ADD    |
| TEXAS     | MISSOURI CITY   | 1985 | JULY 4th      | 5C   | BLK     | U.S. of AMERICA UNDER IND | ADD    |
| TEXAS     | MISSOURI CITY   | 1986 | JULY 4th      | 5C   | BLK     | IND [TX SESQ]             | ADD    |
| TEXAS     | ROCKPORT        | 1970 | CENT          | 5C   | BLK/    | RED on GOLD BUF           | ADD    |
| TEXAS     | SAN ANTONIO     | 1968 | HEMISFAIR     | NV   | BLK     | TOWER                     | ADD    |
| TEXAS     | SAN ANTONIO     | 1988 | CHAMB of COM  | NV   | BLK     | 20th ANNIV                | ADD    |
| TEXAS     | STEPHENS COUNTY | 1976 | BICENT        | 5C   | BLU/RED | IND                       | ADD    |
| VIRGINIA  | PULASKI         | 1989 | SESQ          | 5C   | BLU     | IND                       | ADD    |
| VIRGINIA  | RICHMOND        | 1964 | FAIR          | 5C   | BLK/GRN | IND                       | ADD    |
| VIRGINIA  | RICHMOND        | 1964 | FAIR          | 5C   | BLK     | IND BRAVE                 | CHANGE |
| VIRGINIA  | RICHMOND        | 1964 | FAIR          | 5C   | BLK     | IND BRAVE [DIFF STYLE]    | ADD    |
| WASH.     | BATTLE GROUND   | ND   | FEST          | NV   | AGUA    | 1\$ OFF SOUVENIRS         | ADD    |
| WASH.     | HOQUAIM         | 1937 | JUBILEE       | 25C  | GRN     | DELETE 1938               | CHANGE |
| WASH.     | LOON LAKE       | 1991 | CENT          | NV   | RED/BLK | THIN 3/32"                | ADD    |
| WASH.     | LOON LAKE       | 1991 | CENT          | NV   | RED/BLK | THICK 3/16"               | ADD    |
| WASH.     | TENINO          | 1935 | TAX TOKEN     | 1/5C | GRN     | BLANK REV                 | ADD    |
| WEST VIR. | CHARLESTON      | ND   | FEST          | 5C   | BLK     | BUF                       | ADD    |
| WEST VIR. | COWENS          | ND   | FEST          | 5C   |         | IND                       | ADD    |
| WEST VIR. | ELKINS          | ND   | FEST          | 5C   | RED     | BUF                       | ADD    |



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|           |                  |      |                |     |         |                         |        |
|-----------|------------------|------|----------------|-----|---------|-------------------------|--------|
| WEST VIR. | FAIRMONT         | 1963 | CENT           | 5C  | SIL/BLK | IND                     | ADD    |
| WEST VIR. | FAIRMONT         | 1963 | CENT           | 5C  | BLK/BLU | BUF                     | ADD    |
| WEST VIR. | FAIRMONT         | 1963 | CENT           | 5C  | SIL/RED | IND                     | ADD    |
| WEST VIR. | MONTGOMERY       | 1965 | 75th           | 5C  | BLU     |                         | ADD    |
| WEST VIR. | NEW MARTINSVILLE | 1988 | SESQ           | 5C  | BLU     | IND HOW!                | ADD    |
| WEST VIR. | POINT PLEASANT   | ND   | BICENT         | 5C  | BLK     | LISTED AS NV [1974]     | CHANGE |
| WEST VIR. | WEBSTER SPRINGS  | 1992 | CENT           | 5C  | BLK     | BUF                     | ADD    |
| WISC      | AVOCA            | 1995 | 125th          | 5C  | BLK     | BUF W/STARS             | ADD    |
| WISC.     | GRANTSBURG       | ND   | FAIR           | 5C  | BLU     | IND                     | ADD    |
| WISC      | JONESVILLE       | ND   |                | 5C  | BLK     | IND - CORP SEAL OF CITY | ADD    |
| WISC.     | WEST ALLIS       | 1965 | WESTERN DAYS   | 5C  | BRN     | COWBOY                  | ADD    |
| WISC.     | WEYAUWEGA        | 1982 | H & B DAYS     | 5C  | BLK     | BUF                     | ADD    |
| WISC.     | WEYAUWEGA        | 1982 | H & B DAYS     | 5C  | BLK     | LISTED PIECE IS IND     | CHANGE |
| WYOMING   | CHEYENNE         | 1972 | HELL ON WHEELS | 1\$ | BLK     | LARGE ROUND             | ADD    |
| WYOMING   | EVANSTON         | 1968 | CENT           | 5C  | RED     | IND                     | ADD    |
| WYOMING   | FORT BRIDGER     | 1981 | RENDEZVOUS     | 5C  | BLK     | IND                     | ADD    |
| WYOMING   | FORT BRIDGER     | 1981 | RONDEZVOUS     | 5C  | BLK     | BUF                     | ADD    |

## Editor's Raffle Winners

Santa woods: R-2190 Norman Morphet  
 Santa woods: R-2065 Mary Baranovich  
 Indian woods: LM-21 Ella Cochrane  
 Indian woods: R-1705 June Smawley  
 Auto Flats: R-1960 Jan Henke  
 Mixed woods: R-1897 Joe Snook  
 Mixed woods: R-2141 C. Meccarello  
 Mixed woods: R-2021 Angelo Sisco  
 Mixed woods: R-1782 Pat White  
 Mixed woods: R-1909 Cliff Gabard

Mixed woods: R-1909 Lou Vesh  
 Mixed woods: R-2046 Tom Browe  
 Mixed woods: R-1491 William Jab  
 Mixed woods: R-1710 Reva Kline  
 Mixed woods: R-2000 George Hersey  
 Mixed woods: R-2054 Robert Fritsch  
 Mixed woods: R-2069 Lou Kretovics  
 Mixed woods: R-1600 Les Albright  
 Mixed woods: R-834 Phil Chinitz  
 Mixed woods: LM-46 Floyd Thomas

Thank you for your show of support through the sale of club raffle tickets, donations, and the notes & letters requesting that I keep up the good work as the editor of Bunyan's Chips !



Do you have any of these California woods?

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Currently we have over 100 members who have not paid their 1998 club dues! Late notices will be mailed out soon. Save club funds and mail in your \$5.00 dues today! Mail your payment ( Made out to I.O.W.M.C.) to: Shelley Quinn, 5295 Beechwood Roar, Ravenna, Oh. 44266-9119. Thank you to all who have paid their dues to date.~~~~ Club Secretary~~~~

Does anyone collect the following wooden nickels? I have 87 different double or triple strikes, off centers, mismatched obverse and reverse. (Errors, or interesting collectibles?) Will sell or trade. Best offer plus postage, or let me know what you have to trade. Send information to: Brett Lyons, 515 S Meadow Street, Grangeville, Idaho. 83530 IOWMC R-2209



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## **AMERICA'S BIGGEST BIRTHDAY PARTIES**

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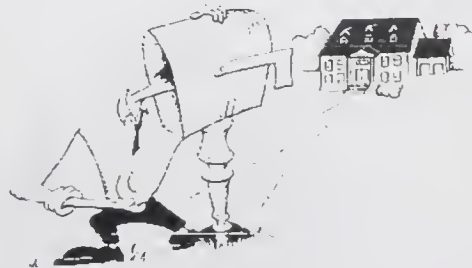
While driving through Bloomington, IL., I stopped to grab a quick supper. Outside the restaurant a crowd seemed to be surging toward the main square. As I left the restaurant after my supper an ancient flivver screeched up beside me. Four bearded men in Keystone-cop uniforms leaped out. One of them thrust a squirrel rifle into my ribs, while another asked for my name. He scribbled my name on a printed form and thrust it into my hand. It was a summons to appear immediately before the "Official Kangaroo Court" or risk confinement "within the oaken jaws of the pillory". With sirens going and shouts of "Make way", they hauled me to the square. Thousands of people milled about. Most of the men wore beards and black, broad-brimmed plainsman hats, the woman had on bonnets. I was pushed up onto a stand before three bearded "judges" dressed in wigs and black robes. My captors clamped my right leg to a ball and chain. Over to the left, a man stared up at me from the pillory where his head and arms were locked. Another prisoner was being dunked into a tub of icy water. Several more prisoners peered at me from inside a crude stockade nearby. One of the judges looked over and asked, "You got a permit?" What permit, sir? I inquired, very respectfully. "Why, a permit to go around with your face naked like that!" I confessed that I had no permit and asked hopefully how I could get one. He handed me a Shaver's Permit and said, "That will cost you one dollar. And as punishment for your negligence I sentence you to one trip around the square in the horse collar.....Next prisoner!" As I staggered around the square with my horse collar and ball & chain I appealed to my captor to tell me what this was all about. He looked very astonished. "Didn't you know Bloomington is celebrating its 100th birthday? It was 100 years ago, I learned, that the first settlers, clad in buckskins, got together on the wooded knoll where I was standing and founded the town of Bloomington, Indiana. To honor the event, the town was now, for an entire week, reliving its pioneer days-and startling the wits out of unwary strangers while doing it!

I soon learned that Bloomington is only one of many U.S. towns where it is hazardous for you to visit without whiskers or a bonnet. In fact, the past year has seen a whole rash of municipal birthday celebrations, particularly in the Midwest, where many towns are just coming 100 years of age. These anniversary celebrations have become an American institution. Oddly enough, in almost every one of these towns you will find a kangaroo court, pillories, and bearded Keystone cops. The explanation for this extraordinary phenomenon, I found, is that most of them are master-minded by an outfit in the little town of Fostoria, Ohio. This outfit, the John B. Rogers Production Company, has become the biggest theatrical-producing company in the history of the world, largely by staging these birthday celebrations. It has built up a multi million dollar business by reminding Americans of their rich heritage. During the past year (1950) 48 spectacular birthday celebrations were held across America. Going from a small town like Yadkinville, NC. with a population of 734, to Kansas City, MO. with a population of 450,000.

See page 23 for more on this article.



## FROM THE EDITOR'S DESK



Thank you to all the members who supported the editor's raffle the last two months! Believe I'll forward my woods to Clinton List from here on and leave such work to him. Unless you have worked a raffle, you don't realize the amount of work that goes into such a thing. Better left to the ones that do it all the time. Virginia Dennis is working the ANA raffle again this year for our club. Please show the great support for IOWMC and purchase the tickets in this months newsletter. My mail box is of the standard size and has lots of room for material for the newsletter, please take a few minutes and send in something for Chip's. The more that I receive, the more I can give back to you each month.~~~~~Editor~~~~~

IOWMC TREASURER'S REPORT AS OF FEB. 28, 1998CHECKING ACCOUNT: Balance carried forward: \$670.44INCOME:

|                      |              |
|----------------------|--------------|
| Dues                 | \$352.00     |
| Ticket Sales (Quinn) | 89.00        |
| Paid Ad              | 20.00        |
| Donations ***        | <u>26.00</u> |
|                      | \$487.00     |

EXPENSES:

|        |                                 |
|--------|---------------------------------|
| Editor | <u>\$300.00</u>                 |
|        | Net Gain: <u>\$187.00</u>       |
|        | Bal. Chg. Act.: <u>\$857.44</u> |

SAVINGS ACCOUNT: Balance carried forward: \$2411.94

|                |                          |                  |
|----------------|--------------------------|------------------|
| <u>INCOME:</u> | Interest (January)       | <u>3.96</u>      |
|                | Balance Savings Account: | <u>\$2415.90</u> |

LIFE MEMBERSHIP ACT.: Bal. carried forward: \$3221.75

|                |                         |                  |
|----------------|-------------------------|------------------|
| <u>INCOME:</u> | Interest (January)      | <u>7.94</u>      |
|                | Bal. Life Mem. Account: | <u>\$3229.69</u> |

Donations from: White/Brennan/Sanderson/Cook/  
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Virginia H. Dennis  
IOWMC Treasurser

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IOWMC ANNUAL BENNEFIT/RAFFLE DRAWING

Our annual meeting will be in Portland, OR this year in August and I am already working on items for the Bennefit/Raffle Drawing.

I have received one box of wood & I am hoping more will be arriving soon. The sooner that your generous donations arrive it will be easier for me to start getting everything ready for the annual meeting. August is fast approaching and time is of the upmost.

Please mail your donations as soon as possible. Mail all your items to Virginia H. Dennis, 1852 Golden Shadow Drive, Henderson, NV 89015-8620.

IOWMC TREASURER'S REPORT AS OF MAR. 31, 1998CHECKING ACCOUNT: Balance carried forward: \$857.44INCOME: NONEEXPENSES:

|        |                                 |
|--------|---------------------------------|
| Editor | <u>\$300.00</u>                 |
|        | Net Loss: <u>\$300.00</u>       |
|        | Bal. Chg. Act.: <u>\$557.44</u> |

SAVINGS ACCOUNT: Balance carried forward: \$2415.90

|                |                          |                  |
|----------------|--------------------------|------------------|
| <u>INCOME:</u> | Interest (February)      | <u>3.70</u>      |
|                | Balance Savings Account: | <u>\$2419.60</u> |

LIFE MEMBERSHIP ACT.: Bal. carried forward: \$3229.69

|                |                      |                  |
|----------------|----------------------|------------------|
| <u>INCOME:</u> | Interest (February)  | <u>7.43</u>      |
|                | Balance L/M Account: | <u>\$3237.12</u> |

Virginia H. De  
IOWMC Treasurer

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1998 - IOWMC BENEFIT/RAFFLE DRAWING

Enclosed you will find tickets for the benefit/raffle drawing. Tickets are only 50¢ each; and we hope you will purchase all of them. Don't forget to write your name and address on the stubs. Return, along with money to the Chairperson in the enclosed envelope.

Additional tickets are available. Wayne and I will be glad to fill them out for you; or better yet, send your personal address labels. The more tickets you purchase, the more successful this project will be. When you purchase the additional tickets and want the stubs mailed back to you, please enclose a SASE envelope.

This year will be more hectic for me since my accident on March 25th. I fell and broke my right shoulder and it will be at least six weeks before the doctor will even consider therapy treatment. Being a right handed person I am attempting to retrain myself by using my left hand. Thank goodness my husband Wayne is fulfilling all duties that I am unable to do. Please excuse any errors and as soon as we can we will write thank you letters to all who will or have donated items or money for this years fund raising project.

Just a reminder—all donations, tickets and money should be in my hands as soon as possible. Please send all items to Virglna Dennis, 1852 Golden Shadow Drive, Henderson, Nevada 89015-8620.

## BIGGEST BIRTHDAY PARTIES

The Rogers Company not only furnishes expert advice, but fabulous quantities of costume, props, and scenery for the parades, horseplay, and pageants. It has more costumes and scenery than any Broadway producer, and its operations are so far-flung that it had to pay storage bills to 150 different U.S. warehouses. This amount of material meant being able to handle anything from a Silver Jubilee (25th) to a full scale week long event like the one held in Malden, MA. for their 300th ( Tercentenaries)

The John B. Rogers Production Company had many ways to help offset the cost of their work. Such items as the plainsmans hats went for \$2.00, centennial derby's went for \$1.00, a string tie going for the same amount, an other such souvenirs. When you made a purchase that required receiving any change back, you received thin slabs of balsa wood. They were fancily labeled with the event that was being held. Being assured that the money was perfectly legal tender-in the town printed on it! Local merchants had passed out 9,000 of them in lieu of the shiny kind of nickels that jingle in Bloomington. You could redeem them at a local bank, but only one person in 50 was doing so, which meant the centennial was picking up several more hundred dollars to help underwrite the cost of staging the celebration. The Rogers wooden nickels are eagerly sought by coin collectors around the world. In Taft, CA., a burglar raided the headquarters of a civic jamboree and made off with \$500.00 "worth" of wooden nickels. By looking through the 8th edition Guide Book Of Wooden Money by: M. W. Dennis ( 1931--1994) you can't help but realize the amount of effort, and the coverage that the Rogers Company made in the sale of the wooden nickels that many of us have in our collections today. These pieces truly are a part of the history of our American towns.

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8th edition Guide Book Of Wooden Money can be purchased for \$18.00 from Mr. Wayne Dennis. The cost of the book is \$15.00 and cost to mail is \$3.00. Send your check or money order to: Mr. Wayne Dennis, 1852 Golden Shadow Drive, Henderson, NV. 89015-8620. This guide helps collectors to plan on what they want to collect, knowing what there is to collect, and is a guide in the sale & purchase of official woods.
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### PRESIDENT'S SAY

The South Thurston Historical Society has contacted the Board of Governors and graciously invited the A.N.A. attendees to visit the home of wooden money: Tenino, Wash. The museum at Tenino has exhibits relating to the first wooden money printed by Don Major. The original printing press is at the museum and still in working order. This is an opportunity for wooden money collectors to socialize with the museum docents and other wood collectors from the west coast. I have been informed that catering for a luncheon is available if the attendees so chose. We would have to have a head count of those wishing to take advantage of this trip. Tenino, Wa. is approximately 100 miles north of Portland requiring transportation. As some of us have vehicles, the number of passengers become important for transportation requirements. If you are interested in being one of the attendees on this trip. Please contact me by writing : Del Cushing, P.O. Box 88984, Seattle, Wa. 98138-2984 or by calling (206) 244-1596.

My recent vacation in Hawaii did not produce any woods for my collection but I was able to add other material to my collecting interests. I was able to add a Captain Cook medal, in holder, to my collection. I began collecting Captain Cook medals when I was still into collecting New Zealand coins and tokens. I do not collect New Zealand anymore but, still look for medals associated with the Northwest and Captain James Cook. (First European explorer to visit the Hawaii Islands on 18 January 1778, landing on the island of Kauai). For collectors of Hawaiian woods, there are woods which were issued during the 1978, Bicentennial of the Discovery of Hawaii, to honor Captain Cook. I know of at least three (3).

Again I stress the fact that if you have not made reservations for the August 5-9, 1998 American Numismatic Association's 107th convention, now is the time. PHONE; PORTLAND CENTRAL, MOTEL 6, (503) 238-0600, and state you are with I.O.W.M.C. for the discount. If you are a member of AARP there is an additional discount. It is just 4 months (and a few days) before the convention. Hope to see you there. Del Cushing

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This bids close on May 30th, 1998

1. End brace for 4000 \$80,000 in \$20. Fed Res Notes Ser of 1977. Phila pkg no 22631. Beginning serial # C90520001A.
2. (maple leaf) around: NORTHERN INTERIOR LUMBER SECTOR/COUNCIL OF FOREST INDUSTRIES OF BRITISH COLUMBIA. rev: MILS GRADE MARK/(logo)/S-P-F/S - DRY/ 100 NO. 1/MARQUE DE QUALITE DE NILS Green printing on natural wood. round, 3 5/16"dia, 3/16"thick.
3. Set of 4 wooden coasters. 2 15/16"dia, 1/4"thick w/green felt on back. blue printing. THE BLUENOSE II. LAUNCHED AT LUNEN-BURG, N.S. JULY 24, 1963. rope design around.
4. Pin, right-facing Indian, around: WOODEN MONEY/COLLECTOR. 2 5/16"DIA.
5. Obv, around: \*\*\*MONTICELLO WOODEN MONEY\*\*\*TWO BITS. in center: \*/THE FAVORITE/RESORT TOWN/SUMMER & WINTER/VISIT OUR NEW/SKI/TRAILS/branch. rev: around: \*GOOD FOR - 25 CENTS - IN TRADE\* IN ANY STORE IN MONTICELLO NEW YORK\* center: small branch/\*/REDEEMABLE BY/MONTICELLO (script)/CHAMBER OF COMMERCE/INC./DECEMBER/1938. Green printing, natural wood. 3 3/16"dia, 1/4"thick.
6. MATCH BOOK. Striker & matches unused! TOWN & DOLL'S WOODEN NICKEL CAFE & LOUNGE, TENINO. rev: 264\*4640 (Indian head)WOODEN NICKEL CAFE/TENINO WASH. "HOME OF THE WOODEN MONEY" inside cover: cartoon. Man: "WHERE THE HELL IS T-9-0?" lady: "EVERYONE KNOWS THAT! tan cover, small amt discoloration.
7. (statue of man in cape on base, MASSACHUSETTS), around: SPRINGFIELD COIN CLUB/ORGANIZED 1912. rev: THIRTY-FIFTH ANNIVERSARY/1912-1947/line/FIVE WOODEN NICKELS/line/THE TREASURER OF THE SPRINGFIELD/COIN CLUB/SPRINGFIELD, MASS/WILL REDEEM THIS COIN FOR 25C/IF PRESENTED FOR REDEMPTION/ON OR BEFORE DEC.31, 1947. red printing on natural. 1 14/16"dia 1/16"thick.
8. obv: sailing ship in rope circle. under: BLUE NOSE II. rev: WOOD/FROM/BLUENOSE II/ANCHORS IN/FREDERICTON/1988. blue printing on natural. 1 4/16", 3/16th thick.
9. obv: (standing Indian) WOODEN/NICKEL above & below. 5c on left & right side of Indian figure. rev: 5c in center, around: DON'T TAKE ANY/WOODEN NICKELS. 12/16" dia, 2/16"thick.
10. 5 in band across center. under: SOUVENIR. around: NIAGARA FALLS ONT/WOODEN NICKEL. rev: 2 flowers & leaves in center. around: BLOSSOM TIME AT NIAGARA/VALID IN 1959. Natural wood varnished. 1"dia, 1/4"thick.
11. 2 flats. TAFT, CA. 5 WOODEN NICKLES(sp!) red on natural: Sept. 21. 14, 1950. same, black on natural: Oct. 13-16, 1960.
12. 2 flats, 2 WOODEN NICKELS, GOLDEN JUBILEE/SEMINOLE/SUN DANCE/MARCH 13-18, 1950/WEST PALM BEACH, FLA. blue tinge. 5 WOODEN NICKELS, same as above, black on natural. mfg by John Rogers Prod, Fostoria, OH.

\* Paid Ad \*

NEBRASKA MAVERICK TRADE TOKENS, METAL, ATTRIBUTED, 1st Ed., 1998 booklet. 3,712 listings, 158 pages, in 3 sections, includes 500 directory listings of saloons & billiards, 1911-12. \$20.00 postpaid, Send orders to: George Hosek, 7411 Idledale, Omaha, NE. 68112-2805 Phone # (402) 455-1905



## COLLECTORS CORNER

Pat Whalen reports that he will not be sending his train woods out to collectors who have not paid for issues #4 and #5. Any members who owe for these woods need to pay prior to placing orders for the next issue.

WANTED-WANTED-WANTED-WANTED- tokens, medals, badges, pins, & material related to Elks clubs (B.P.O.E.) In any material such as wood, plastic, metal, and cardboard. Please send items one piece or a complete collection with prices you are willing to sell them for. I will answer all letters as soon as possible. Send material or listing to: William J. Carr, 502 Melrose Ln., Sebastian, FL. 32958-4996

PAN Coin Show (Pennsylvania Association of Numismatists) will be holding a show open to the public on May 8, 9, and 10, 1998. Over 100 dealers will be on hand to buy-sell-trade. The show is being held at the Pittsburgh ExpoMart in Monroeville, PA. Parking & admission are both free.

Editor looking for wood issues from rodeo's, fair's, bowling alleys, sailing ships, and carnivals.

John Lawrence is selling the Honus Wagner 3 X 4 wood flat history of his tobacco card for 75 cents each or 2 for \$1.00 plus an SASE. Drop John a line to order this wood, or to find out what other great deals he will offer to you. John Lawrence Sr., 25 N Wayne Ave., W. Haverstraw, NY. 10993

The 1998 wooden dollar that announces the Prescott, Arizona Coin Club's 24th annual show on June 19-21 commemorates the 100th anniversary of the commencement of construction of the Brinkmeyer House. Both sides are printed in blue, obverse gives information about the show. The wooden dollars can be obtained for 25 cents

plus an SASE, 43 cents for one or two woods, and an SASE of 55 cents for 3 or 4 woods. Send your orders to: Sandra Wolf, P. O. Box 233, Dewey, AZ. 86327 (520) 772-7144

The Coin Club of Greater New Bedford has issued a wooden nickel for their 1998 show. Printed in black on both sides, it shows the customs House. Price is 25 cents each and an SASE to: C.C.GRTR.N.B., P.O.Box 2991, New Bedford, MA. 02741

The Wicked Wizard Sez: 1000 Curses Upon the Mailman Who Breakes These Wooden Nickels- better known as Bill Morphet who puts out the Voodoo wooden nickels. You can add the Valentine issue to your collection for 25 cents each or 4 for \$1.00 postpaid. Check with Bill as I'm sure he has past voodoo wooden nickels to sell. Send your order or request for information to: Bill Morphet, 3360 Chichester Ave. Apt. A-13, Boothwyn, PA. 19061

**REMEMBER---** As paid members you can run a free ad each month to buy-sell-trade woods. Thank you to the members who take the time to have woods printed & offer them to their fellow collectors. Material needs to be in the editor's hands by the 15th of each month to make the next printing of Bunyan's Chips.





# FOUNDING OF ADAMS COUNTY, PA. 150th ANNIVERSARY - 1800 - 1950 (Sesqui-Centennial)

The area of present day, Adams County was included in the grant made by King Charles II of England to William Penn on March 4, 1681. Because of the lack of accurate knowledge of the geography of the New World at the time, the Penn's claim conflicted with those of the Calverts, the proprietors of Maryland. Many years of disagreement were to follow before the Mason-Dixon Line begun in 1763 and completed in 1767, on the line of 39 degrees, 44 minutes, northern latitude was run. Today, the entire southern boundary of Adams County is that same Mason-Dixon Line.

In 1682 Penn organized the three original counties- Philadelphia, Bucks and Chester. Very quickly the area of settlement expanded and in 1729 the fourth county, Lancaster, was organized. In 1749 the settlements west of the Susquehanna River having over-grown, the fifth county, York, was organized.

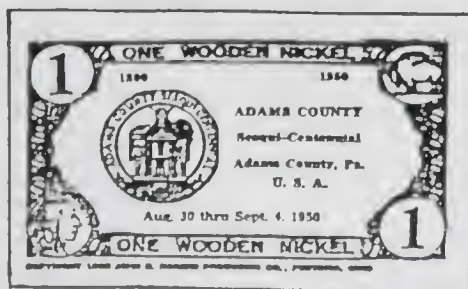
In 1800, a situation having developed which called for a new county; Adams was divided from York County. This area is 526 square miles, 336,640 acres by 1950, for their 150th anniversary. The population was 44,084. Adams County developed from the original settlement of several different racial elements. Before the permanent settlements were made, Capt. John Hanson Steelman, an Indian trader and interpreter, built his first home. The first permanent white settlement was promoted by both the Penns and Calverts. By the 1730's each settlement had a different religion, so they all began to build their respective churches. There were Germans, Scotch-Irish, English, Irish-Quakers, Holland Dutch and the Indians.

The first Post Office was opened in 1796 with Peter Ickes, the first postmaster. In 1800 there was an election of Commissioners who authorized an assess and levy up to \$3000.00 to establish a "government." January, 1804 the Commissioners authorized to erect several public buildings (a jail house and a court house). Transportation was very slow, such as it was, but as the Nation expanded a better means of movement became imperative. New techniques in road building were developed. Even the improved roads did not meet the need for better transportation. The railroad was soon to take the lead. It was considered proper for Adams County to share in the benefits; and soon, the Tape Worm Railroad was begun to run south-west - westwardly from Gettysburg to connect with the lines of the B & O Railroad in the Potomac Valley. This project was abandoned when the state's money was exhausted. The first operating railroad in the County was the Hanover and Littlestown. It was started in 1857 and ran for one year. Today (1950) there were 72 miles of railroad in the County.

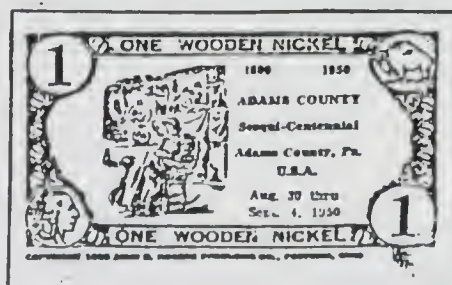
After 1865, agriculture continued as the principle economics interest and is still true today. General farming continues to be the rule, although specialization has been practiced. The first and foremost farm of specialization is fruit growing. By 1944 Adams County was listed among 100 leading counties in the United States for specified crops. It ranked tenth in apple trees and eleventh in production in 1949. Also the apple yield was over 3,000,000 bushels. That's a lot of apples. The next apple you Pennsylvanians eat just may be from Adams County. Also they ranked up in production of peaches and cherries.

In 1950 the story of Adams County was written and produced by the John B. Rogers Producing Company and turned into a 150th celebration of Adams County, including the coronation of "Miss Adams County." That is the same John B. Rogers Company of Fostoria, Ohio. The same one for the museum that has set aside a room for the outstanding work the John B. Rogers Company did with wooden money from the late 1930's to 1954. During the celebration a set of five woods were issued. Shown below depicts the set. (The set of woods were reduced in size.) Obverse side depicts five different designs. Reverse side all are the same. All are 5¢ flat woods. Colors are black, blue, brown, green and red.

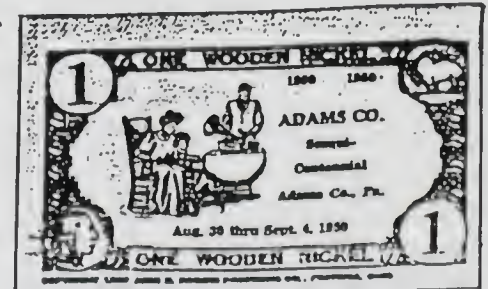
This information was taken from the souvenir program issued to Commemorating the 150th Anniversary of the Founding of Adams County, PA—August 30, 31, September 1, 2, 3, 4, 1950. The price of the souvenir program was only fifty cents; and it is a very interesting souvenir program book=fifty-five pages of Pennsylvania's history. Submitted by M. Wayne Dennis



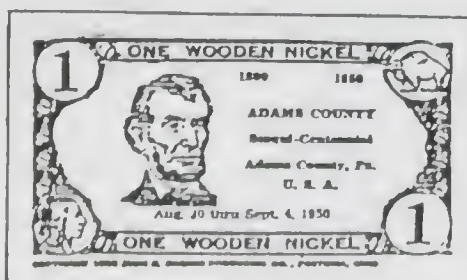
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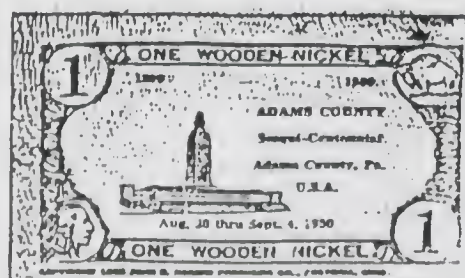
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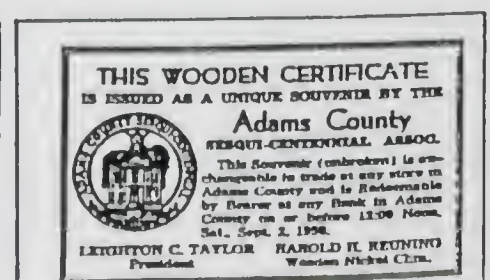
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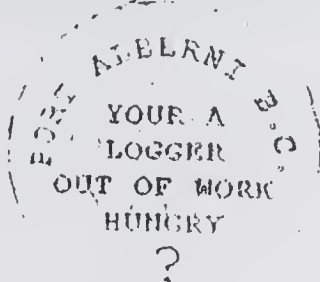
Reverse Side



Jerry Remick is a long time member of the club, and has provided material for the newsletter to help keep us in touch with the issues in the Great White North. Thank you Jerry for the latest wood issue information.

(Some of the issues were retouched by the editor to make for a better copy of the wood issues)

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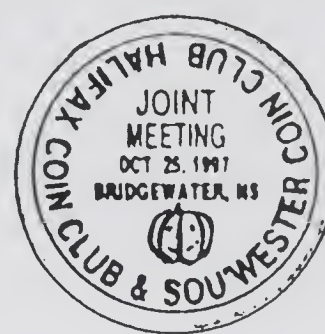
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The Halifax Coin Club of Halifax, N.S. Canada, and the Sou'Wester Coin Club of Shelburne County, N.S., co-hosts for the Oct. 25th, 1997 Bridgewater, N.S. Coin Show. Both issued round 1-1/2" woods to mark this event. 200 woods were printed for each issue. Colors are red/blue & red/green. The two woods are available at \$2.00 postpaid from: John OS Maclean, 7 Horizon Court, Apt.# 308, Dartmouth, N.S., Canada B3A 4R2. Also, two other woods that were issued for the 1997 Bridgewater Coin Show are being sold at \$1.00 each postpaid. A wood issue from Glenn & Mildred Rogers, and the other by KO'S Restaurant of Bridgewater.



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## WOODEN MONEY

Everyone has heard the saying "Don't take any wooden nickels" Well! I'll take all I can get, especially the official woods issued by towns for their Centennials, Bicentennials, or other celebrations. Semi-officials are also put out by local merchants where these events took place. Coin clubs, McDonald s, Sambos, Dairy Queen, and scouting have issued woods over the years as well.

Woods have printing of Indians, Buffalo, trains, cars, animals, people in our history, and a host of many other things. My collecting started when I came across an article in Numismatic News about a meeting to be held at Seven Valleys, PA. 1964. Being curious, my uncle and I made the trip to see what it was all about. There were about 20 to 25 people in attendance along with many displays. At this point my interest was growing. Soon after the first meeting I went to, another was held and a club was formed; International Organization of Wooden Money Collectors. After the forming of this club, other clubs started to form as well. The Pioneer Wooden Money Collectors came after the IOWMC. There are about five collectors clubs in the United States and about the same number in Canada after this. In 1974, at the wooden money show held at Columbus, Ohio, a king and queen were chosen for the large displays of woods they had. "Rusty" Bailey of Etters, PA. was given the title as queen, and Clarence Kramer of Hazleton, PA. as king. Prior to Kramers death in 1987, he had put together the largest display of wooden money. His display had at this point, never been seen complete. I acquired his collection, and knowing that Mr. Kramer would have put it on display, I took it to the ANA show held in Pittsburgh, PA. Since then, the collection has been seen at shows in Baltimore, Cincinnati, Detroit, Fostoria, and Monroeville. During the depression, the banks were closed and some towns were issuing script, Tenino, WA. was one such place. In December of 1931, forty pieces of wood were issued in 25 cent denominations, thus the start of wooden money. During each month in 1932, a number of pieces were issued in 25 cents, 50 cents, and \$1.00 amounts.

Each piece states how long it is good for, and all are hand signed by three of Tenino's citizens. Issues were sent to people in Washington, DC. and they were reads into the congressional record. This made the wooden money legal tender for the time it was noted for. Wooden money has taken many forms of size, shapes, and colors. Issues range from a single piece, to as many as fifty or more to a set. There is truly a challenge in completing the larger sets. Prices have increased over the years, especially on the more scarce pieces. Collectors rely on their club newsletters, other such publications, and that of their fellow collectors for obtaining wood issues old & new. Pennsylvania has issued more official woods than any other state. Their first wood issue was back in 1936, in Berwick. Three woods were issued at 5 cents, 10 cents, and 25 cents. Printed on two pieces of sitka spruce with a tissue paper layed between the wood. If you are interested in history, geography, and an interesting hobby, disprove the old saying that money grows on trees, and start having fun by collecting wooden money today.

Submitted by: E. Ted Wolverton

E. Ted Wolverton has been with the club from its start in 1964, and over the years, has given much to the hobby & that of it's collectors.~~~~~Editor~~~~~





### From The Editor's Desk

Not much has been received during the past two months. We are at a stand still on wood issues because not many coin shows are held during the month of April/ May/June that issue wooden nickels. This gives the editor a small break in the task of putting together the club newsletter, but I don't want to big a break. Send in articles, ads, and any material you want placed as a free ad in Chips. Shelley has sent out late notices to members who have yet to pay their dues for 1998. It seems that the amount is unclear for dues this year, so I'll post them at the bottom of this page to help remind us all as to what the dues are to date. Don't forget to send in your raffle tickets & funds to

Virginia Dennis. Enclosed Presidents Wooden dollar is being sent to all active members in the club. If you receive your wood damaged, I will make exchanges up until the end of June. Remaining woods will then be sent to Bill Snider for any exchanges needed, or to purchase additional woods. Thanks-Rob Quinn

#### IOWMC TREASURER'S REPORT AS OF APR. 30, 1998

CHECKING ACCOUNT: Balance carried forward: \$557.44

##### INCOME:

|                                     |             |          |
|-------------------------------------|-------------|----------|
| Dues                                | \$377.00    |          |
| Raffle (Quinn)                      | 31.00       |          |
| Paid Ads                            | 65.00       |          |
| Donations (Manifold/<br>Scott/West) | <u>8.00</u> |          |
|                                     |             | \$481.00 |

##### EXPENSES:

|                   |                 |          |
|-------------------|-----------------|----------|
| Editor            | \$300.00        |          |
| Bulk Mail Permit  | 85.00           |          |
| Secretary         | 25.00           |          |
| Due check bounced | <u>5.00</u>     |          |
|                   |                 | \$415.00 |
|                   | Net Gain:       | \$ 66.00 |
|                   | Bal. Chg. Act.: | \$623.44 |

SAVINGS ACCOUNT: Balance carried forward: \$2419.60

Interest (March) \$ 4.24

Balance Savings Account: \$2423.84

LIFE MEMBERSHIP ACT.: Bal. carried forward: \$3237.12

Interest (March) \$ 8.51

Balance L/M Account: \$3245.63

Virginia H. Dennis  
IOWMC Treasurer

Secretary attached late notices to the top of the April Chip's. If you received your copy and have not made payment, there will be no June issues mailed.

#### 1998 - IOWMC BENEFIT/RAFFLE DRAWING

In last month's Bunyan Chips you received an addressed envelope with raffle tickets enclosed. **HAVE YOU MAILED THEM TO THE CHAIRPERSON?**

Time is of the utmost. Please send your ticket stubs and money. Material is still needed for this raffle and the auction. As a reminder, a year's free dues is always a welcome door prize.

Word was received from several members they were mailing some material to be used. This is very appreciative but we still need more. Helen and Kaz Oyama were in Las Vegas this past week from Hawaii, and as usual brought some nice items for the drawing.

Don't forget to send in those ticket stubs and money and whatever material you can for this well worth project. Mail all to Virginia H. Dennis, 1852 Golden Shadow Drive, Henderson, NV 89015-8620.

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Remember that incentive woods are awarded to each member that sponsors 5 new/past members into our club. This gives you a set of I.O.W.M.C woods to add to your wooden nickel collection. An award is given out at the ANA meeting to the sponsor with the most members for the year this coming August.

Twenty-four new members have been signed up so far this year. Let's see if we can break the fifty mark for this year.~~~~~Editor~~~~~



### PRESIDENT'S SAY

There was a time when collectors wanted to trade tokens for ones they needed to fill holes in their interest. What has happened to these collectors? Most of the mail I receive concerning wooden money is someone who wants to sell at prices nobody with knowledge of wooden money would pay. It takes a very special wooden nickel to be worth \$3.50 or even \$2.00. 1st issue flats and special commemoratives can command those prices and higher but they are the exception. Sambo's and Dairy Queen wooden nickels will probably have the largest group of people collecting them. In this instance it becomes a matter of supply and demand, but I still don't see a price of \$3.50 to \$5.00 being a justified price. Let us strive to keep our hobby at a level that all generations can participate in without breaking their piggy banks or messing up their financial structure. A run of 1000 pieces to me does not make for a rare issue with maybe 300 collectors looking for it. (If they know about it at all) When there is a run of 10,000 or more these pieces will turn up in gift bags at meetings or junk boxes at 25 cents to 50 cents. If you feel that there is a wooden nickel you need bad enough to pay \$3.50, then by all means do it. Keep in mind that someday your collection will be disposed of by someone who may not care what you paid and sell for much less. Perhaps one of the things we could do as a club is find out what you collect and make a feature for each issue. We might be able to add this information to the club roster. That way, you would be able to correspond with people holding the same collecting interest. If you have comments, please write: DEL CUSHING, P.O.Box 88984, SEATTLE, WA. 98138-2984 or call (206) 244-1596

### IN REMEMBRANCE

James L. Betton III  
R-1032

James Gavin  
R-1667

It is with a great amount of sadness that we announce the deaths of our fellow wooden money collectors. Our sincere sympathy to the family and friends of both members.

Editor in need of material for the newsletter. Send in articles about the hobby, free ads you wish to place for buy-sell-trade, help to I.D. wood issues, and portraits about your self. I've only had to reprint a few things in the sventeen months that I have been the club editor, and will reframe from doing so for as long as I can keep new material coming in. Thank you to the members who have sent in material for the last two issues of Chip's.

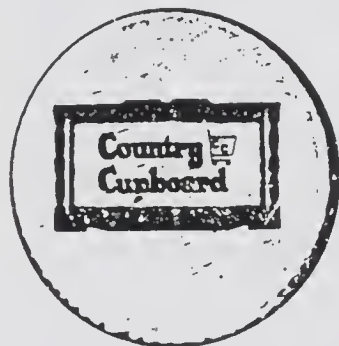
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## COLLECTORS CORNER

Hc Wagner 3 x 4 wood flat for sale. History of his tobacco card 75 cents each or 2 for \$1.00 with an SASE. Send orders to: John Lawrence Sr., 25 N. Wayne Ave., W. Haverstraw, NY. 10993. ( John supplies the membership cards to IOWMC in exchange for free ad placement in Chip's) Show your support by finding out what other flat issues he has for sale as well.

Bob Brown recently acquired these woods at a flea market and trade. He would like information on these issues from fellow collectors. Bob reports having extra issues of #1 and is willing to trade. There is a third issue that could not be copied due to it having a heavy coating of lacquer on the wood. It is from North Bend, OR. It is listed in the Guide Book, but the date on what Bob has is Dec. 1st, 1933. Anyone have information on these woods should contact: Bob Brown, Jr., P.O.Box 124, Highspire, PA. 17034



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Ted Wolverton also has some wood issues that he would like help to I.D. as well. Members are asked to send any information on the below listings directly to him.

- 1) 1976 Aug. 7th Greenwich Township, Bicentennial, Black, Indian in circle facing right.
- 2) 1987 Dear Park 75th Anniv., The right town for a bright future, all black, deer on the wood.
- 3) 1981 Chesterfield Sesquicentennial, 150 years of progress, Black, Indian in circle facing right.
- 4) 1973 Redeem at Lemoore Lemoore Centennial, Crocker Nat'l Bank, five wooden nickels, Buf. in circle, left.
- 5) 1973 Las Animas Centennial cattle country, United States of America, wooden nickel, Buf. facing left.
- 6) (Part of the information missing on this issue) BO-RA-LI Centennial 1879-1979 Aug. 19-26, Buf. facing to the left, United States of America in circle.

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## FLATS

- 2050 AL GADSDEN 1940 CENT 10z BLU
- 2051 AL GADSFEN 1940 CENT 25z RED
- 2052 AL HUNTSVILLE 1939 FEST 5z PURP - 1864

- 2053 AL OPELIKA 1954 CENT SERIES III 5z BLK
- 2054 AL SELMA 1940 HISTORIC PAEGEANT 5z GRN
- 2055 AL TALLAOEGA 1938 125<sup>TH</sup> 5z GRN
- 2056 AZ APACHE JUNCTION 1975 11<sup>TH</sup> LDD SET/3
- 2057 AZ PHOENIX 1940 FIESTA del SOL SET/4 JOE MURPHY NUMISMATIST
- 2058 AZ PRESCOTT 1939 FRONTIER DAYS 5z RED
- 2059 AZ PRESCOTT 1939 FRONTIER DAYS 5z GRN [delaminating]
- 2060 AZ PRESCOTT 1939 FRONTIER DAYS 10z GRN
- 2061 AZ PRESCOTT 1939 FRONTIER DAYS 25z GRN
- 2062 AZ PRESCOTT 1939 FRONTIER DAYS 5z GRN 1943 RE-ISSUE
- 2063 AZ PRESCOTT 1939 FRONTIER DAYS 10z GRN 1943 RE-ISSUE
- 2064 AZ PRESCOTT 1939 FRONTIER DAYS 25z GRN 1943 RE-ISSUE
- 2065 AZ TUCSON 1939 FMDN 5z BRN #'S ON REV
- 2066 AZ TUCSON 1939 FMDN 5z RED #'S ON REV
- 2067 AZ TUCSON 1939 FMDN 5z GRN #'S ON REV
- 2068 AZ TUCSON 1939 FMDN 5z BLK #'S ON OBV
- 2069 AZ TUCSON 1939 FMDN 5z BRN #'S ON OBV
- 2070 AZ TUCSON 1939 FMDN 5z BRN #'S ON OBV [delaminating]
- 2071 AZ TUCSON 1939 FMDN 5z GRN #'S ON OBV
- 2072 AR HOT SPRINGS 400 YRS 5z RED
- 2073 CA FULLERTON 1937 GOLDEN JUBILEE 5z BLK
- 2074 CA FULLERTON 1937 GOLDEN JUBILEE SET/3
- 2075 CA LAKEWOOD 1969 15<sup>TH</sup> ANNIV - ZANZABUKU COCKTAIL LOUNGE - RED
- 2076 CA LAKEWOOD 1972 ANNUAL PARADE - RED
- 2077 CA PITTSBURG 1941 CAVALCADE 5z GRN
- 2078 CA TAFT 1950 OILDORADO 10z BLK
- 2079 CA TAFT 1950 OILDORADO 25z BLU
- 2080 CA TAFT 1950 OILDORADO 10z RED
- 2081 CA TAFT 1950 OILDORADO 25z RED
- 2082 CA TAFT 1950 OILDORADO 10z GRN
- 2083 CA TAFT 1950 OILDORADO 25z GRN
- 2084 CA TAFT 1960 OILDORADO 5z BLK
- 2085 CA TAFT 1960 OILDORADO 10z BLK
- 2086 CA TAFT 1960 OILDORADO 25z BLK
- 2087 CT GREENWICH 1940 TERCENT 5z BLK
- 2088 CT GREENWICH 1940 TERCENT 5z GRN
- 2089 CT NORWALK 1951 TERCENT 5z GRN
- 2090 CT STAMFORD 1941 TERCENT SET/6
- 2091 CT STAMFORD 1941 TERCENT 5z BLU
- 2092 CT STAMFORD 1941 TERCENT 5z RED
- 2093 FL DELAND 1951 DIAMOND JUBILEE 5z GRN
- 2094 FL DELAND 1951 DIAMOND JUBILEE 25z BLU
- 2095 FL HIALEAH 1950 SILVER JUBILEE 10z GRN
- 2096 FL JACKSONVILLE 1951 DIAMOND JUBILEE 5z GRN
- 2097 FL ORLANDO 1942 CENT 5z ORN/GRN
- 2098 FL SAINT PETERSBURG 1950 FEST - 5z BLU AL
- 2099 FL SAINT PETERSBURG 1950 FEST - 5z GRN CT
- 2100 FL SAINT PETERSBURG 1950 FEST - 5z BLU GA
- 2101 FL SAINT PETERSBURG 1950 FEST - 5z GRN MD
- 2102 FL SAINT PETERSBURG 1950 FEST - 5z RED MA
- 2103 FL SAINT PETERSBURG 1950 FEST - 5z RED MI
- 2104 FL SAINT PETERSBURG 1950 FEST - 5z GRN MN
- 2105 FL SAINT PETERSBURG 1950 FEST - 5z RED NJ
- 2106 FL SAINT PETERSBURG 1950 FEST - 5z BLU NC



- 2107 FL SAINT PETERSBURG 1950 FEST - 5¢ BLU NC [broken]
- 2108 FL SAINT PETERSBURG 1950 FEST - 5¢ RED OH
- 2109 FL SAINT PETERSBURG 1950 FEST - 5¢ GRN RI
- 2110 FL SAINT PETERSBURG 1950 FEST - 5¢ GRN WI
- 2111 FL SAINT PETERSBURG 1950 FEST - 5¢ GRN WV
- 2112 FL SAINT PETERSBURG 1950 FEST - 5¢ RED CANADA
- 2113 FL WEST PALM BEACH 1950 GOLDEN JUBILEE SET/3
- 2114 FL WEST PALM BEACH 1950 GOLDEN JUBILEE 5¢ RED
- 2115 FL WEST PALM BEACH 1950 GOLDEN JUBILEE 25¢ BLK
- 2116 FL WEST PALM BEACH 1951 SUN DANCE CELEB SET/6
- 2117 GA CHARLTON CO 1954 CENT SET/3
- 2118 GA CHARLTON CO 1954 CENT 10¢ RED
- 2119 ID TWIN FALLS 1940 GOLDEN JUBILEE 5¢ BLK
- 2120 ID TWIN FALLS 1940 GOLDEN JUBILEE 10¢ RED
- 2121 IL BLOOMINGTON 1950 CENT 10¢ RED
- 2122 IL BLUE ISLAND 1935 CENT SET/3 [blu has stain from rubber band on obv]
- 2123 IL CAIRO 1938 BRIDGE DEDICATION 5¢ BLU SM PRINT
- 2124 IL CAIRO 1938 BRIDGE DEDICATION 25¢ RED
- 2125 IL CENTRALIA 1953 CENT 5¢ GRN
- 2126 IL EVANSTON 1951 CENT 5¢ RED - LUNT
- 2127 IL EVANSTON 1951 CENT 5¢ PUR - McGOW
- 2128 IL EVANSTON 1951 CENT 5¢ GRN - WILLARD
- 2129 IL EVANSTON 1951 CENT 5¢ PUR - WILLARD
- 2130 IL EVANSTON 1951 CENT 5¢ GRN - WILMETTE
- 2131 IL EVANSTON 1951 CENT 5¢ RED - WILMETTE
- 2132 IL FREEPORT 1940 FEST 5¢ RED SERIES I
- 2133 IL FREEPORT 1940 FEST 10¢ ORN SERIES 1&2
- 2134 IL GRUNDY 1941 CENT 5¢ ORN
- 2135 IL KANKALEE 1953 CENT 5¢ RED SHIELD
- 2136 IL KANKALEE 1953 CENT 10¢ GRN LaVASSEUR
- 2137 IL KANKALEE 1953 CENT 25¢ BLK RIVERVIEW
- 2138 IL KANKALEE 1953 CENT 5¢ BLK COURTHOUSE
- 2139 IL KANKALEE 1953 CENT 10¢ RED SHAW-WAW
- 2140 IL KANKALEE 1953 CENT 25¢ GRN VAN METER
- 2141 IL KANKALEE 1953 CENT 5¢ GRN MARGARET
- 2142 IL KANKALEE 1953 CENT 10¢ BLK LOCOMOTIVE
- 2143 IL KANKALEE 1953 CENT 25¢ RED McCREWS MILL
- 2144 IL KEWANEE 1939 TRI-COUNTY PAEGEANT 5¢ BLU
- 2145 IL KEWANEE 1949 HOG DAYS 5¢ RED
- 2146 IL KEWANEE 1949 HOG DAYS 10¢ BLU [sm pc missing top right corner]
- 2147 IL KEWANEE 1949 HOG DAYS 25¢ GRN
- 2148 IL LANSING 1954 CENT 5¢ RED
- 2149 IL LINCOLN 1953 CENT 5¢ BRN HOUSE
- 2150 IL LINCOLN 1953 CENT 7 1/2¢ BRN LINCOLN
- 2151 IL LINCOLN 1953 CENT 7 1/2¢ BLU HOUSE
- 2152 IL MERCER CO 1942 JULY 4<sup>TH</sup> CELEB 5¢ RED
- 2153 IL MERCER CO 1942 JULY 4<sup>TH</sup> CELEB 5¢ GRN
- 2154 IL MERCER CO 1942 JULY 4<sup>TH</sup> CELEB 5¢ ORN
- 2155 IL MURPHYSBORO 1950 CENT 10¢ BLU
- 2156 IL MURPHYSBORO 1950 CENT 25¢ BLU
- 2157 IL MURPHYSBORO 1950 CENT 10¢ GRN
- 2158 IL MURPHYSBORO 1950 CENT 5¢ RED
- 2159 IL MURPHYSBORO 1950 CENT 25¢ RED
- 2160 IL NAVOO 1946 FEST 10¢ RED

- 2161 IL OAK PARK 1951 GOLD JUBILEE 5¢ BRN - CROSS
- 2162 IL OAK PARK 1951 GOLD JUBILEE 5¢ GRN KETTLESTRINGS
- 2163 IL OAK PARK 1951 GOLD JUBILEE 5¢ RED MERCHANTS DAY
- 2164 IL OLNEY 1941 CENT 5¢ RED
- 2165 IL QUINCEY 1939 QUINSHIPPI CELEB 5¢ RED
- 2166 IL RANTOUL 1941 JULY 4<sup>TH</sup> CELEB 5¢ BLK [some peeling - cracked]
- 2167 IL RANTOUL 1941 JULY 4<sup>TH</sup> CELEB 5¢ BLK CENTENNIAL ISSUE
- 2168 IL RANTOUL 1941 JULY 4<sup>TH</sup> CELEB 10¢ BLK CENTENNIAL ISSUE
- 2169 IL RANTOUL 1941 JULY 4<sup>TH</sup> CELEB 5¢ BLK HONORARY ISSUE
- 2170 IL RANTOUL 1941 JULY 4<sup>TH</sup> CELEB 10¢ BLK HONORARY ISSUE
- 2171 IL RANTOUL 1941 JULY 4<sup>TH</sup> CELEB 5¢ BLK SPECIAL ISSUE
- 2172 IL RANTOUL 1941 JULY 4<sup>TH</sup> CELEB 10¢ BLK SPECIAL ISSUE
- 2173 IL ROCKFORD 1952 CENT 5¢ GRN
- 2174 IL ROCKFORD 1952 CENT 10¢ RED
- 2175 IL SAINT ANNE 1950 CENT SET/3 [water stained]
- 2176 IL STREETOR 1950 CORNIVAL 5¢ GRN 'E' 9/17 - 24
- 2177 IN ANGOLA 1940 JUBILEE SET/2
- 2178 IN ELWOOD 1952 CENT 10¢ GRN COCA COLA
- 2179 IN ELWOOD 1952 CENT 10¢ GRN DIETZENS
- 2180 IN ELWOOD 1952 CENT 5¢ BLU 1<sup>ST</sup> NATIONAL BANK
- 2181 IN FORTVILLE 1949 CENT 5¢ RED
- 2182 IN FORTVILLE 1949 CENT 10¢ RED
- 2183 IN FORTVILLE 1949 CENT 25¢ RED
- 2184 IN HAMMOND 1951 CENT 5¢ BLK 'M'
- 2185 IN HAMMOND 1951 CENT 5¢ BLK 'N'
- 2186 IN HAMMOND 1951 CENT 10¢ BLK 'H'
- 2187 IN HAMMOND 1951 CENT 10¢ BLK 'M'
- 2188 IN HAMMOND 1951 CENT 25¢ BLK 'N'
- 2189 IN HAMMOND 1951 CENT 5¢ GRN 'H'
- 2190 IN HOBART 1947 CENT SET/4
- 2191 IN HOBART 1947 CENT 5¢ BRN
- 2192 IN HUNTINGTON 1948 CENT SET/3
- 2193 IN LIGONIER 1935 CENT 5¢ BLK
- 2194 IN MUNCIE 1938 NWTC 5¢ PUR
- 2195 IN MUNCIE 1938 NWTC 5¢ BLU
- 2196 IN MUNCIE 1938 NWTC 5¢ GRN
- 2197 IN MUNCIE 1938 NWTC 5¢ RED
- 2198 IN PERU 1959 CENT 5¢ BLK
- 2199 IN PERU 1959 CENT 5¢ ORN

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Phone 508-255-0490.

- [1] Bid by lot numbers. Bidders responsible for their errors.
- [2] All lots will be sold to the highest bidder above minimum bid if any. Tie bids decided by earliest postmark.
- [3] All bids and payments to be in U.S. Dollars. Make checks payable to CLINTON B. LIST.
- [4] Postage and insurance costs will be added to your bill. All lots will be mailed first class. Lots totaling \$10 or more will be insured unless you indicate differently on your bid sheet. I will insure lower value packages if you request it. (Cost is 75 cents). Uninsured packages are the bidders risk.
- [5] All lots guaranteed genuine. Any lot that is not as described may be returned.
- [6] If you overbid your pocketbook, ask for payment terms.

Official woods listed in the club mail bid are donations or woods that are on consignment from club members. If you have woods that you would like to donate or sell through a mail-bid to be held later this year, then you need to contact: Clinton B. List, RR32, 3280, Rt. 6, Eastham, MA. 02642-2113. If requesting additional information, please send an SASE for any replies.

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## Statues & Memorials of Hawaii Series No. 1

By Charles Matsuda

After the last series of woods on the Hawaiian Endangered Wildlife (No.20), we did not come out with a new wooden token for the last November show. There were lots of requests made by wooden token collectors for another series of woods. The difficulty was coming up with a new idea, interesting enough for the collectors. We thought about another Wildlife series of Fresh Water Wildlife, Hawaiian plants, etc. The best suggestion came from Mr. Kazuma Oyama on a series of statues and memorials of Hawaii, a melting pot where East meets West was an ideal place for different ethnic cultures. We have many statues and memorials of local, national, and internationally famous people represented.

The first of our series is Kamehameha I, the first King of the Hawaiian Islands. According to history, Kamehameha was born about the year 1758 at a place called Koko-iki, in the Kohala district of the Big Island of Hawaii. As a young man, Kamehameha was recognized as a wise and brave warrior. In the presence of high-ranking chiefs, Kamehameha overturned a huge Naha stone, which, according to a prophecy, marked him as a great leader who would conquer the island. In 1782, Kamehameha gained rule to half of the Big Island when Ki-wala-o, a chieftian's son was killed and was the beginning of his first phase of the prophecy fulfillment. Kamehameha married Ka-ahu-manu, daughter of one of his most trusted chiefs in 1785, and in 1795, Kamehameha made his conquest of the islands-Maui (the battle of Iao Valley), Lanai and Molokai. He also won the battle of Nuuanu on the island of Oahu.

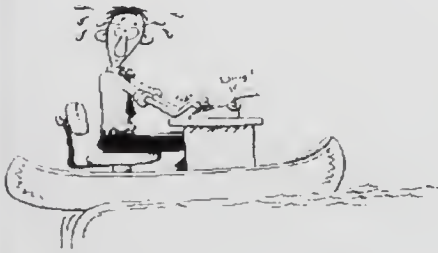
As king, he united the islands, governed by one king. In 1816 King Kamehameha ordered a flag designed for his kingdom--with eight horizontal red, white, and blue stripes representing the eight Hawaiian islands and a Union Jack for the early influence of the British. A statue of the King Kamehameha stands as a memorial to him. It is eight and one half feet tall mounted on an artistic pedestal and stands in front of Ali'iolani Hale, the Judiciary Building. Dressed in a warrior's garment with a full length feather design cloak made especially for the King, the statue holds a spear in his left hand as a reminder that he brought the wars to an end and his right hand, with open palm, extended a gesture of friendship and aloha. An American sculptor, Thomas R. Gould, modeled the statue in his studio in Florence, Italy, with the aid of photographs of a prominent Hawaiian man, Robert Hoapili Baker, who was dressed in the royal regalia. Part of the only sketch in watercolor known at that time of Kamehameha was also used. The bronze statue was later cast in Paris and taken to Germany and placed on a German ship, G.F. Haendel, for the voyage to Honolulu. During the trip a fire broke out and it crashed in a rough storm on the reef off the Falkland Islands sinking the cargo and the statue in many fathoms of water.

End of article to be found on page number 39.



President's Say

By the time that you receive this message the A.N.A. Convention will be just six weeks away. The I.O.W.M.C. general meeting is now scheduled on Saturday morning at 10:00 A.M. It is hoped that this will provide the time for area collectors to make it to the meeting and acquaint themselves with other wooden money collectors. The trip to Tenino, Wash. to the museum has eight people signed up and a tentative day has been considered. Final plans on this outing will be firmed up before the next newsletter. If you have not indicated your desire to participate and wish to, Please, let me know. In recent months I have asked people to write to me regarding subjects I have written about. I am still waiting to hear from someone. I have been having trouble with some of my mail not coming through. I have received mail that was deposited into someone else's box number. I can only hope that those box owners continue to return mail belonging to me. If you have written to me and I have yet to answer, write again as I try to answer every letter I receive. Sometimes it takes a while for me to get the opportunity to sit in front of the computer and compose a reply to comments or questions but I will reply. Del Cushing (206) 244-1596

FROM THE EDITOR'S DESK

Received postcards & letters from many members who enjoyed the May issue of Bunyan's Chips. Thank you to one and all who sent them in. I try to mail your newsletter out close to the start of each month, but working full time, having two kids ( 11 & 15 ), garden to tend, and remodeling some parts of our house (inside & outside), I tend to keep putting the bulk mail out late each month. Working on reducing the monthly cost of newsletter, then will work on my mailing dates too. Rob Quinn-Editor-

TREASURERS REPORT & NOTES1998 - IOWMC BENEFIT/RAFFLE DRAWINGHAVE YOU SENT IN YOUR RAFFLE TICKETS STUBS

AND MONEY YET? A large variety of woods have been donated; plus many one year free dues. Don't miss out in winning one of these door prizes. A nice variety of items are up for auction, including a home-made clock donated by Abe Booke, Gerard Braithwaite donated five collector plates, plus many other items.

Time is slowly slipping by, so please take a few minutes to send in those ticket stubs and money. Send them to Virginia Dennis, 1852 Golden Shadow Drive, Henderson, NV 89015-8620.

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IOWMC TREASURER'S REPORT AS OF MAY 31, 1998

CHECKING ACCOUNT: Balance carried forward: \$623.44

INCOME:

Dues \$85.00  
Donations (Chinitz/Weeks) 4.24

\$ 89.24

EXPENSES:

Editor \$300.00  
Net Loss: \$210.76  
Bal. Chg. Act.: \$412.68

SAVINGS ACCOUNT: Balance carried forward: \$2423.84  
Interest (April) 3.98  
Balance Savings Account: \$2427.82

LIFE MEMBERSHIP ACT.: Bal. carried forward: \$3245.63  
Interest (April) 8.00  
Balance L/M Account: \$3253.63

Virginia H. Dennis  
IOWMC Treasurer

THANK YOU to all that have send me "Get Well Cards" and wrote nice letters for a speedy recovery. It is a very slow process but I am improving daily and I am slowly in the process of getting back to my normal duties, with the great help of my husband, Wayne. I still have therphy exercises that must be done three times a day; which will go on for several months. All in all, I have no complaints as it is up to me now to fully recovery from my injuries. Thank You all for your encouragement.

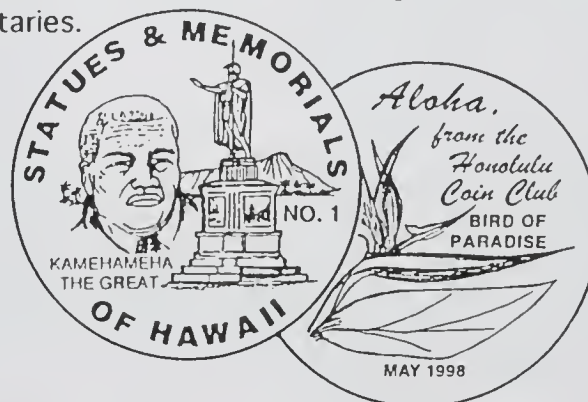
Virginia Dennis

## Kamehameha I

Thanks to the insurance collected on the lost statue, it was enough to pay for a duplicate cast of the original statue. This time the statue arrived on the ship Aberaman. The British ship, Earl of Dalhousie, recovered the slightly damaged original statue and brought it to Honolulu. The original statue and a member of the Commemorative Monument Committee fully repaired it and placed it near Kamehameha's birth place on May 8, 1883. Meanwhile, the duplicate statue was unveiled by King Kalakaua, Hawaii's last king, on February 14, 1883, two days after his coronation at Iolani Palace.

On 1912 the original statue of King Kamehameha was moved from his birthplace to the Kohala Court House in Kapaau on the Big Island. There is a third statue cast in bronze which was dedicated on April 15, 1969 in the columns of the United States Capitol, Washington, DC. Kamehameha School's seniors were given the honor of unveiling the statue in the presence of a large number of dignitaries.

The wooden tokens will be sold at 50 cents each plus a self addressed stamped envelope. Please add more postage if ordering more than one wood. Mail your request to the:  
Honolulu Coin Club, P.O.Box 6063,  
Honolulu, HI. 96818



## WOOD HELPS ME TO SAY" THANK YOU"

After spending a week hospitalized by a heart attack, one of the side-effects was a deterioration of my equilibrium. Later, the next year, quintuple by-pass surgery didn't improve my sense of balance. However, having to depend on a cane for help in walking brought to my attention how many really nice people we have in this world!

The problem with my sense of balance is complicated by degenerative arthritis in both my knees, so I don't do a great deal of walking. Most of my trips are to the Post Office, and here is where I find so many helpful people. Some hurry to pass me on the way to the door so they can hold it open for me, some will take the time out of their day to wait for me to reach them at the door. A Thank you orally, although heart-felt, just didn't seem to do the job.

Several years ago, at a wooden money club meeting during an A.N.A. convention, in an auction was a bag full of wooden nickels printed on only one side with an Indian head design. I just couldn't resist them--although what in the world would I could do with them was a puzzlement!

Now, the perfect solution to me dilemmas: a rubber stamp, with THANKS, and my facsimile signature, "Chris", given to the folks who are kind to me. One lady who, with her little boy, was recipient of one of the first ones handed out, wanted to know, "WHY?" I told her it was to remind her when she looked at it, how nice a person she was! I think she was pleased.

Submitted by: Chris Johns, Houston, TX.





**WELCOME NEW MEMBERS !**

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R-2230

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9957 W. Margaret Ln.

Franklin, WI. 53132

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La Palma, CA. 90623

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J-2234

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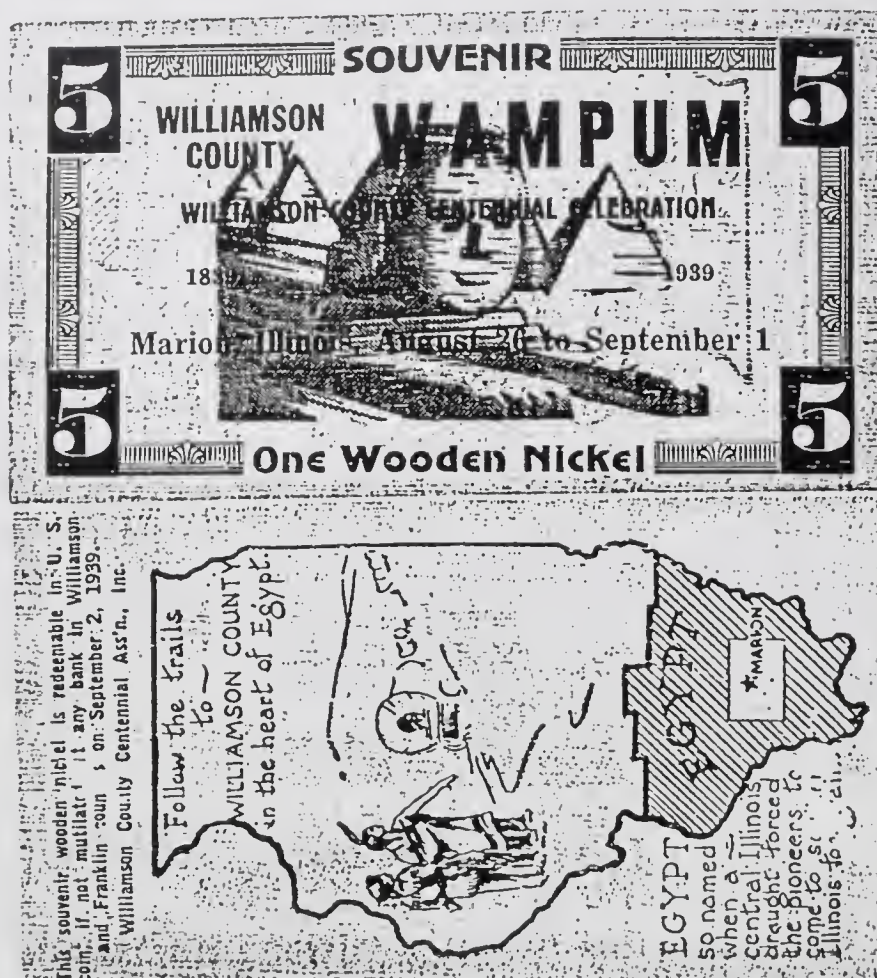
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**COLLECTOR'S CORNER**

R.R. "Tip" Tippy is offering to sell the Williamson County Centennial flat for \$4.00 each. He Reports that he also has another variety or possibly two that he will sell for \$5.00 each ( Address on business card) Don't forget to include an SASE with your order!

Need wooden money produced? Other imprinted products? For updated information and free gifts, send SASE to: Craig Hardee, P.O.Box 1780, Apex, NC. 27502

Do you have any of these California woods?  
ACME GLASS (Modesto-Turlock, etc)  
Hardgrove House Restaurant  
KROWN KARWASH (Turlock)  
Newman's 50th Anniv. (rectangular)  
Send information to: John Hoffman, P.O.Box 723, Merced, CA. 95431

Over the years, many collectors flats have been produced by John Lawrence on balsa wood. Drop John a note with an SASE to find out if he has issued anything that you might like to add to your collection. You will find his prices to be very fair. John can also help you with any printing needs you might have for balsa flats. Ask about this when you contact him!

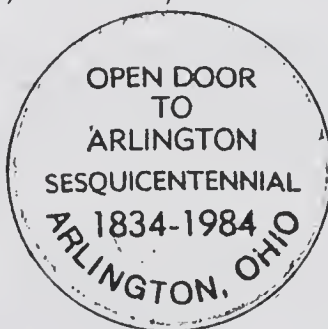
Send your requests to: John Lawrence, 25 No. Wayne Ave., W. Haverstraw, NY. 10993-1412

The ad on page 40 for Williamson County Flat is missing a mailing address. To order this flat send to R. R. Tippy, 22 Cottonwood Ln., Cartersville, IL 62918.

Two different woods produced by Communicate It Ink, Co. are being offered free for an SASE or a 32 cent stamp from John and Nancy Wilson. The first is their 30th Anniv. wood issue, and the second is for the Portland, OR. A.N.A. These woods will be handed out at the A.N.A. as well. Send your request to: John and Nancy Wilson, P.O.Box 27185, Milwaukee, WI. 53227-0185 (John Wilson is the current A.N.A. Governor 1997-1999 )



**WOODS FOR SALE** - Asking 75 cents each for the Arlington, Ohio 1984 Sesquicentennial (very limited supply), Would like 25 cents each for the Bowers-Acunis 1986 wedding wood issue. An error wood was printed and will sell the pair for 40 cents. The Bowling Green State University Bowling Green, Ohio 1984 John Bowers College Graduation wood is going for 25 cents each. Send your orders, along with SASE's to cover your order to: John Bowers, 1333 Cove Ave. #307, Lakewood, OH. 44107



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Our Subscription Service will make these "Open" woods available to the collector in lots of 20 different pieces for \$15.00 Canadian or \$12.00 in U.S. funds. This includes taxes, as well as shipping and handling. We expect from past experience to issue anywhere from 2 to 4 sets per calendar year.

Included with the shipment of "Open" woods will be a production list of all issues produced during the period including the name and address of the issuer for those noted as "Closed". If you are interested in receiving the current series or for that matter any previous series (as available), kindly complete the bottom portion of the form completely and return to the address noted above.

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 2203 IN PLYMOUTH 1938 SEQ 5¢ BLU/YEL  
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 2205 IN PLYMOUTH 1938 SEQ 5¢ BRN/ORN  
 2206 IN PLYMOUTH 1938 SEQ 5¢ GRN/YEL  
 2207 IN PLYMOUTH 1938 SEQ 5¢ BLU/ORN  
 2208 IN PLYMOUTH 1938 SEQ 5¢ SIL/YEL  
 2209 IN PLYMOUTH 1938 SEQ 5¢ SIL/ORN  
 2210 IN TOLLESTON 1951 CENT 5¢ BLU [sm knothole in corner]  
 2211 IN UNION CITY 1949 CENT 5¢ ORN FLAT  
 2212 IN UNION CITY 1949 CENT 5¢ BLK ROUND  
 2213 IN UNION CITY 1949 CENT 5¢ GRN ROUND  
 2214 IN VINCENNES 1950 SEQ 5¢ PURP - ILLINOIS SERIES  
 2215 IN WHITLEY CO 1938 CENT SET/3  
 2216 IN WHITLEY CO 1938 CENT 5¢ RED  
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 2218 IA BURLINGTON 1938 CENT 10¢ GRN  
 2219 IA CEDAR FALLS 1952 CENT 5¢ BRN  
 2220 IA CEDAR FALLS 1952 CENT 5¢ BRN [tape stain]  
 2221 IA CLARINDA 1953 CENT 5¢ BLU  
 2222 IA COUNCIL BLUFFS 1936 CENT 10¢ BLU  
 2223 IA FORT MADISON 1938 CENT SET/3  
 2224 IA LeCLAIR 1941 CENT SET/2  
 2225 IA LeCLAIR 1941 CENT 5¢ BRN/GRN  
 2226 IA MARSHALLTOWN 1949 FRONTIER DAZE 5¢ RED/BLU  
 2227 IA MARSHALLTOWN 1949 FRONTIER DAZE 5¢ RED/BLU INVERTED PICTURE  
 2228 IA MARSHALLTOWN 1949 FRONTIER DAZE 10¢ BLU  
 2229 IA MARSHALLTOWN 1949 FRONTIER DAZE 10¢ BLU INVERTED PICTURE  
 2230 IA MARSHALLTOWN 1949 FRONTIER DAZE 25¢ GRN/BLU  
 2231 IA WARREN CO 1949 CENT 5¢ RED  
 2232 IA WARREN CO 1949 CENT 10¢ BLU  
 2233 IA WASHINGTON 1939 CENT 5¢ BLU 1859 SERIES  
 2234 IA WASHINGTON 1939 CENT 5¢ RED 1869 SERIES  
 2235 IA WASHINGTON 1939 CENT 5¢ PUR 1889 SERIES  
 2236 IA WASHINGTON 1947 CO EXPO SET/3  
 2237 KS ATCHISON 1954 CENT SET/3  
 2238 KS ATCHISON 1954 CENT 10¢ GRN  
 2239 KS ATCHISON 1954 CENT 25¢ PUR  
 2240 KS CLAY CENTER 1940 FAIR 5¢ GRN W/O #S  
 2241 KS COUNCIL GROVE 1954 CENT SET/3  
 2242 KS LEAVENWORTH 1954 CENT SET/3 [25¢ red has sm split]  
 2243 KS LEAVENWORTH 1954 CENT 5¢ BLU  
 2244 KS OSAWATOMI 1954 CENT 7 1/2¢ BLK SER "V"  
 2245 KS OSAWATOMI 1954 CENT 17 1/2¢ BRN SER "V"  
 2246 KS RUSSELL 1941 70<sup>TH</sup> ANNIV 5¢ RED 1  
 2247 KS RUSSELL 1941 70<sup>TH</sup> ANNIV 5¢ BRN 4  
 2248 KS RUSSELL 1941 70<sup>TH</sup> ANNIV 5¢ ORN 6  
 2249 KS RUSSELL 1941 70<sup>TH</sup> ANNIV 5¢ OLIVE 8  
 2250 KS RUSSELL 1941 70<sup>TH</sup> ANNIV 5¢ AQUA 9  
 2251 KS RUSSELL 1951 80<sup>TH</sup> ANNIV 5¢ BLK 1  
 2252 KS RUSSELL 1951 80<sup>TH</sup> ANNIV 5¢ RED 2  
 2253 KS RUSSELL 1951 80<sup>TH</sup> ANNIV 5¢ GRN 3  
 2254 KS RUSSELL 1951 80<sup>TH</sup> ANNIV 5¢ BLU 4

2255 KS RUSSELL 1951 80<sup>TH</sup> ANNIV 5¢ SIL 5  
 2256 KS RUSSELL 1951 80<sup>TH</sup> ANNIV 5¢ BRN 6  
 2257 KS RUSSELL 1951 80<sup>TH</sup> ANNIV 5¢ ORN 7  
 2258 KS RUSSELL 1951 80<sup>TH</sup> ANNIV 5¢ PUR 8  
 2259 KS RUSSELL 1951 80<sup>TH</sup> ANNIV 5¢ GRN 9  
 2260 KS RUSSELL 1951 80<sup>TH</sup> ANNIV 5¢ BLU 10  
 2261 KS WINFIELD 1938 68<sup>TH</sup> ANNIV 5¢ GRN SER B  
 2262 KY PARIS 1939 SEQ 5¢ BLU  
 2263 KY PARIS 1939 SEQ 10¢ GRN [sm cracks & delamination]  
 2264 KY WICKLIFFE 1938 ORBD 5¢ BLU  
 2265 KY WICKLIFFE 1938 ORBD 5¢ BLU [delamination & splitting]  
 2266 LA BOGALUSA 1939 SILVER JUBILEE 5¢ RED  
 2267 LA BOGALUSA 1939 SILVER JUBILEE 5¢ GRN  
 2268 LA BOGALUSA 1939 SILVER JUBILEE 5¢ BLU  
 2269 LA SHREVEPORT 1949 FEST SET/3  
 2270 ME AUGUSTA 1947 SESO 5¢ GRN  
 2271 MD CUMBERLAND 1937 SEQ SET/3  
 2272 MD CUMBERLAND 1937 SEQ 5¢ BLU  
 2273 MD CUMBERLAND 1937 SEQ 10¢ ORN [stained]  
 2274 MA FALMOUTH 1951 FEST 5¢ RED C  
 2275 MA FALMOUTH 1951 FEST 5¢ RED P  
 2276 MA FALMOUTH 1951 FEST 5¢ RED E  
 2277 MA FALMOUTH 1951 FEST 5¢ RED O  
 2278 MA FALMOUTH 1951 FEST 10¢ GRN C  
 2279 MA FALMOUTH 1951 FEST 10¢ GRN A  
 2280 MA FALMOUTH 1951 FEST 10¢ GRN E  
 2281 MA FALMOUTH 1951 FEST 10¢ GRN O  
 2282 MA FALMOUTH 1951 FEST 25¢ BLK A  
 2283 MA FALMOUTH 1951 FEST 25¢ BLK P  
 2284 MA FALMOUTH 1951 FEST 25¢ BLK E  
 2285 MA GREAT BARRINGTON 1936 175<sup>TH</sup> ANNIV 5¢ GRN  
 2286 MA MALDEN 1949 TERCENT SET/3  
 2287 MA MALDEN 1949 TERCENT 10¢ BLK  
 2288 MA MALDEN 1949 TERCENT 25¢ BLK  
 2289 MA SPRINGFIELD 1936 TERCENT 5¢ BLK  
 2290 MI ADRIAN 1953 CENT SET/3  
 2291 MI BAD AXE 1935 10¢ GRN  
 2292 MI CARLETON 1937 5¢ BLU  
 2293 MI CROSWELL 1947 CENT SET/3  
 2294 MI FENTON 1934 CENT 5¢ BLK - FENTON  
 2295 MI HOLLAND 1947 CENT 10¢ BLU SER 1  
 2296 MI HOLLAND 1947 CENT 10¢ REDDISH BRN SER 2  
 2297 MI LUDINGTON 1937 HOMECOMING SET/3  
 2298 MI METAMORA 1963 125<sup>TH</sup> ANNIV 25¢ AQUA 3<sup>RD</sup> ROUND  
 2299 MI MANISTIQUE 1938 HOMECOMING 5¢ GRN  
 2300 MI PAW PAW 1941 IDC SET/3  
 2301 MI PORT HURON 1949 CENT SET/3  
 2302 MI PORT HURON 1949 CENT 5¢ BLK  
 2303 MI PORT HURON 1949 CENT 25¢ GRN [taped]  
 2304 MI ROCHESTER 1969 CENT SET/3  
 2305 MI SEBEWAING 1953 CENT 5¢ BLK  
 2306 MI TECUMSEH 1949 CENT 5¢ BLK  
 2307 MN FAIRMONT 1949 CENT 10¢ BLU  
 2308 MN FAIRMONT 1949 CENT 5¢ GRN



2309 MN FAIRMONT 1949 CENT 25¢ GRN  
 2310 MN MANKATO 1952 CENT 5¢ GRN  
 2311 MN MANKATO 1952 CENT 10¢ RED  
 2312 MN MOUNT IRON 1940 GOLDEN JUBILEE 5¢ GRN [pm hole top center, crack b l corner, sm pc tape on rev. still looks pretty nice]  
 2313 MN SAINT PAUL 1949 CENT 5¢ BLU-RED NORTHWEST C.C.  
 2314 MS CLARKSDALE 1941 FEST SET/3  
 2315 MS VICKSBURG 1947 CARNIVAL SET/3  
 2316 MO BOONEVILLE 1939 DAN BOONE DAVIS 5¢ RED  
 2317 MO KIRKWOOD 1940 DIAMOND JUBILEE 5¢ BLK  
 2318 MO MARSHALL 1939 CENT CENTENNIAL SERIES SET/3  
 2319 MO MARSHALL 1939 CENT ODELL SERIES 5¢ ORN [stained]  
 2320 MO MOUNT VERNON 1947 CENT 5¢ BLK  
 2321 MO MOUNT VERNON 1947 CENT 10¢ BLK [printed on slightly undersized piece]  
 2322 MO HELENA 1939 DIAMOND JUBILEE 5¢ BLU  
 2323 MO HELENA 1949 85<sup>TH</sup> ANNIV 5¢ GRN W/O #S  
 2324 MO HELENA 1949 85<sup>TH</sup> ANNIV 5¢ GRN W/#S  
 2325 MO HELENA 1949 85<sup>TH</sup> ANNIV 5¢ RED W/O #S  
 2326 MO HELENA 1949 85<sup>TH</sup> ANNIV 10¢ PUR W/O #S  
 2327 MO HELENA 1949 85<sup>TH</sup> ANNIV 10¢ RED W/O #S  
 2328 MO HELENA 1949 85<sup>TH</sup> ANNIV 10¢ RED W/#S  
 2329 MO HELENA 1949 85<sup>TH</sup> ANNIV 25¢ BLU W/O #S  
 2330 NE MCCOOK 1947 NEW HORIZONS 5¢ RED SER 1 [glued - big tape stain]  
 2331 NH KEENE 1952 TERCENT 1 PINE TREE SHILLING GRN CHESHIRE CO NUM SOC  
 2332 NH HAMPTON 1938 TERCENT 10¢ GRN  
 2333 NJ BRIDGETON 1936 250<sup>TH</sup> ANNIV 5¢ BLU  
 2334 NJ HACKENSACK 1939 TERCENT 5¢ GRN  
 2335 NJ HACKENSACK 1939 TERCENT 10¢ GRN  
 2336 NM CLOVIS 1938 HISTORICAL PAGEANT SET/2  
 2337 NM CLOVIS 1938 HISTORICAL PAGEANT 5¢ BLK  
 2338 NM RATON 1940 400<sup>TH</sup> ANNIV 5¢ BLK  
 2339 NM RATON 1940 400<sup>TH</sup> ANNIV 5¢ BLK [stains]  
 2340 NY AMSTERDAM 1954 SESQ 5¢ GRN  
 2341 NY AMSTERDAM 1954 SESQ 10¢ GRN  
 2342 NY AUBURN 1948 CENT 5¢ BLK  
 2343 NY AUBURN 1948 CENT 10¢ GRN  
 2344 NY COBBLESKILL 1952 BICENT 5¢ GRN SER 1  
 2345 NY HOOSICK FALLS 1952 125<sup>TH</sup> ANNIV 5¢ BLU  
 2346 NY JOHNSON CITY 1952 60<sup>TH</sup> ANNIV 5¢ BRN-GRN J  
 2347 NY JOHNSON CITY 1952 60<sup>TH</sup> ANNIV 5¢ BLU-RED J  
 2348 NY JOHNSON CITY 1952 60<sup>TH</sup> ANNIV 5¢ BLU-RED N  
 2349 NY JOHNSON CITY 1952 60<sup>TH</sup> ANNIV 10¢ BLU-RED J  
 2350 NY JOHNSON CITY 1952 60<sup>TH</sup> ANNIV 10¢ BLU-RED N  
 2351 NY JOHNSON CITY 1952 60<sup>TH</sup> ANNIV 10¢ BLU-RED S  
 2352 NY JOHNSON CITY 1952 60<sup>TH</sup> ANNIV 25¢ BLU-RED J  
 2353 NY OGDENSBURG 1948 BICENT 5¢ GRN [sm crack]  
 2354 NY ONEONTA 1948 CENT 5¢ GRN  
 2355 NY PHELPS 1939 SESQ SER A 5¢ GRN  
 2356 NY PHELPS 1939 SESQ SER B 5¢ GRN  
 2357 NY PHELPS 1939 SESQ SER C 5¢ GRN  
 2358 NY PHELPS 1939 SESQ SER C 10¢ BLU  
 2359 NY PLATTSBURG 1939 125<sup>TH</sup> ANNIV 5¢ GRN  
 2360 NY SCOTIA 1954 GOLDEN JUBILEE 1<sup>ST</sup> ISS 5¢ GRN-BLK  
 2361 NY SYRACUSE 1940 CENT SER 1 5¢ RED A  
 2362 NY SYRACUSE 1940 CENT SER 2 5¢ GRN L  
 2363 NY SYRACUSE 1940 CENT SER 2 5¢ GRN M

2364 NY SYRACUSE 1940 CENT SER 3 5¢ BLK S  
 2365 NY SYRACUSE 1940 CENT SER 4 5¢ BRN NO LETTER  
 2366 NY UTICA 1948 SESQ 5¢ BLK  
 2367 NY UTICA 1948 SESQ 10¢ BLK  
 2368 NY YATES 1948 SESQ SET/4  
 2369 NC ALAMANCE 1949 5¢ BLU SPINNING WHEEL  
 2370 NC ALAMANCE 1949 5¢ GRN LIBERTY BELL  
 2371 NC ALAMANCE 1949 5¢ ORN MINUTE MAN  
 2372 NC ALAMANCE 1949 5¢ RED HORSE & BUGGY  
 2373 NC BOONE 1949 CENT 5¢ BRN  
 2374 NC BOONE 1949 CENT 25¢ BRN  
 2375 NC CONCORD 1949 SESQ SPECIAL ISS 5¢ GRN  
 2376 NC CONCORD 1949 SESQ SPECIAL ISS 5¢ RED  
 2377 NC CONCORD 1949 SESQ SECOND ISS 5¢ BRN  
 2378 NC CONCORD 1949 SESQ SECOND ISS 5¢ GRN  
 2379 NC CONCORD 1949 SESQ SECOND ISS 5¢ RED  
 2380 NC LENOIR 1946 HOMECOMING GOLD STAR SER 25¢ ORN  
 2381 NC WADESBORO 1949 BICENT 5¢ BLU [tape stains on rev]  
 2382 NC WILSON 1940 FEST 5¢ RED [1/2" wide tape stain around front edges peeling on rev. all writing ok]  
 2383 ND BISMARCK 1939 GOLDEN JUBILEE 10¢ RED  
 2384 ND BISMARCK 1939 GOLDEN JUBILEE 25¢ BLU [vertical crease - not broken]  
 2385 ND FARGO 1950 DIAMOND JUBILEE 5¢ RED G  
 2386 ND FARGO 1950 DIAMOND JUBILEE 5¢ RED G [stains & sm corner chip]  
 2387 ND FARGO 1950 DIAMOND JUBILEE 10¢ RED F  
 2388 ND FARGO 1950 DIAMOND JUBILEE 10¢ RED A  
 2389 ND FARGO 1950 DIAMOND JUBILEE 10¢ RED G  
 2390 ND FARGO 1950 DIAMOND JUBILEE 25¢ RED A  
 2391 ND FARGO 1950 DIAMOND JUBILEE 25¢ RED G  
 2392 ND FARGO 1950 DIAMOND JUBILEE 5¢ GRN R  
 2393 ND STEEL 1936 DIAMOND JUBILEE 5¢ RED  
 2394 OH BELLEFONTAINE 1938 SESQ 5¢ BLK [very sm crack bottom edge]  
 2395 OH CELINA 1984 SESQ 5¢ GRN  
 2396 OH CHILLICOTHE 1938 SESQ 5¢ ORN NO LETTER  
 2397 OH CHILLICOTHE 1938 SESQ 5¢ GRN B  
 2398 OH CHILLICOTHE 1938 SESQ 5¢ GRN B [sm chip from corner]  
 2399 OH CHILLICOTHE 1938 SESQ 5¢ RED C [slight peeling]

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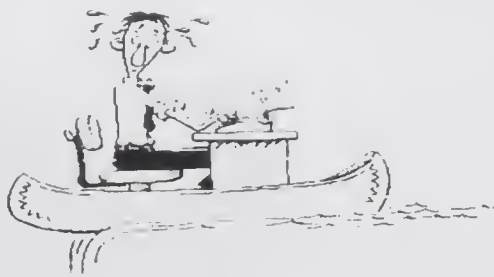
## THE COMPLETE STORY of TENINO WOODEN MONEY

By Don Major, from The Thurston County Independent, Feb. 19, 1965

The nation, and Tenino, was gripped by the Great Depression in 1931, and money was scarce. The Independent in November of that year advocated editorially that scrip be used to meet the currency shortage. Then on December 5, 1931, the matter of emergency struck home with the failure of the Citizens Bank of Tenino. Joel Gould, now of Olympia, came over from Buckley to act as liquidator. This tied-up the accounts of the depositors while the affairs of the defunct bank were being adjusted. Thus the shortage of money became acute. The Tenino Chamber of Commerce met to meet the emergency and agreed to issue scrip to permit the depositors to assign 25% of their bank accounts to the Chamber. The printing press at the Independent office was soon running out assignment forms and depositors signed for definite amounts of money within the 25% limitations. The printing of \$1.00, \$5.00, and \$10.00 denotations scrip was done on engraved pieces the size of paper money then in use. The 25 cent denomination was the yellow bond paper without any fancy border. Trustees of the Chamber Committee, F.W. Wichman, D.M. Major, and A.H. Meyers, signed each piece. They agreed to redeem the certificates "During the Process of Liquidation of the Citizens Bank of Tenino". This scrip printed in December, 1931 totaled \$3,255, of which \$1,279 was circulated. Eventually the Chamber redeemed \$1,079.75 of this scrip. Some samples of "slice wood", a new printing material, had been received by Albert Balch of Seattle, who was promoting it for Christmas cards and other items. This was made in a special machine at Aberdeen by a man named Eckersley. Stika spruce and Port Orford and red cedar were used. The first pieces were flimsy sheets of 1/80th of an inch thick. The 25 on hand were sufficient to put Tenino in the wooden money business. Later the slices were sandwiched with a paper in between. One issue of a thousand even carried a "watermark" reading "Confidence makes good; Money made of wood", which could be seen by holding it up to the light. This was supposed to guard against counterfeiting. The publicity of Tenino Wooden Money began to snowball in February, 1932, the Seattle Star carrying the story early that month, followed by the Tacoma News-Tribune, Oregonian, Seattle P-I and others. The Halls of Congress heard of the unique method of meeting the money shortage and in March it was featured in the Congressional Record. Thousands of stories and comments appeared over the world in newspapers and magazines. Orders from collectors and souvenir hunters came in increasing demand and eight issues were printed thru 1932-33, mostly in 25 cent denotations, but also in 50 cent and \$1.00. In all \$10,308 worth of wooden money was issued of which about \$40.00 was redeemed by the Chamber of Commerce. In April, 1935, business people used small wooden fifth cent tax tokens due to a state shortage of tokens. Like the original wooden money, they are now quite valuable. The Tenino Depot Museum is housed in the last railroad depot building that served Tenino. The structure was built in 1914 of Tenino sandstone. It served passengers until the early 1950's and was used for freight into the 1960's. The museum is operated by the South Thurston County Historical Society. The building is owned and maintained by the city of Tenino. Inside you will find exhibits on Tenino sandstone and Tenino's wooden money from the Great Depression, railroad memorabilia, a 1920's doctors office display.

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### From The Editor's Desk

Don't forget-there is no issue of Bunyan's Chips during the month of August. This is my one month off each year. It worked out well because I'll be in South Dakota on company business during next month! If you know of a club member, or you want fellow collectors to know that you are in poor health, send a note to the editor and have it listed in the newsletter. These will be listed under Member Status in the following issues. Next newsletter will be in Sept. and will contain the material for the Aug. issue as well. Be seen ya ! Rob Quinn

### PRESIDENT'S SAY

The annual meeting of the I.O.W.M.C. is just a few days after you receive this message. The general meeting time is tentatively set for 10:00 A.M. Saturday, 8 August, in room A103 at the convention center. There is a board meeting scheduled for Friday, 7 August, at 10:00 A.M. in room A107. I hope that all who can attend will, especially those in the Northwest region. A spirit of cooperation between DWMC and IOWMC will take place at this convention as we share a table on the midway. Recruiting new members to the hobby should be one of our highest priorities at any convention. Portland has the potential to introduce a new segment of the population to our hobby. There is an expense for the midway tables, for which the I.O.W.M.C. is to cover half the cost for. If members wish to contribute to help defray this expense, it would be greatly appreciated. Your contributions can be sent to myself, or to Virginia Dennis. Make checks payable to I.O.W.M.C.. The Tenino Museum visit is set for Thursday, 6 August. Actual departure time will be decided by those participating on Wednesday. The distance to Tenino is approximately 100 miles from Portland. If you wish to be part of this adventure, please contact me before the convention. Del Cushing (206) 244-1596

#### IOWMC TREASURER'S REPORT AS OF JUNE 30, 1998

CHECKING ACCOUNT: Balance carried forward: \$412.68

#### INCOME:

|                      |               |          |
|----------------------|---------------|----------|
| Dues                 | \$189.00      |          |
| Trans. Funds from    |               |          |
| Life Membership Act. | <u>800.00</u> |          |
|                      |               | \$989.00 |

#### EXPENSES:

|                     |               |                 |
|---------------------|---------------|-----------------|
| Editor              | \$300.00      |                 |
| Pres. Woods-1998    | <u>119.00</u> |                 |
|                     |               | \$419.00        |
| Net Gain:           |               | <u>\$570.00</u> |
| Bal. Checking Act.: |               | \$982.68        |

SAVINGS ACCOUNT: Balance carried forward: \$2427.82  
Interest (May) 3.86  
Balance Savings Account: \$2431.68

LIFE MEMBERSHIP ACT.: Bal. carried forward: \$3253.63

#### INCOME:

|                |         |
|----------------|---------|
| Interest (May) | \$ 7.75 |
|----------------|---------|

#### EXPENSES:

|                      |                 |                  |
|----------------------|-----------------|------------------|
| Transferred funds to |                 |                  |
| Checking Account     | <u>\$800.00</u> |                  |
| Net Loss:            |                 | <u>\$ 792.25</u> |
| Bal. L/M. Act.:      |                 | \$2461.38        |

Virginia H. Dennis  
IOWMC Treasurer

#### IOWMC 1998 BENEFIT/RAFFLE DRAWING

This is the final reminder you will be reading about -- many members still haven't sent in their ticket stubs and money for this well-worth fund raising project of IOWMC.

Hope to see many of our members at the Portland, OR General Meeting August 8, 1998. Whatever way you will be traveling to Portland, Oregon, have a safe trip traveling to and from. SEE YOU THEN AND IF YOU HAVEN'T MAILED ME YOUR TICKETS AND MONEY, PLEASE DO SO. THANK YOU.

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### Tenino Wooden Money

Also in the museum you will find items from the logging industry, artifacts from Washington's first Territorial prison, and a variety of other things. The Tenino Chamber of Commerce has information on both the community of Tenino, as well as information about the Tenino Wooden Money. Members wanting this information can contact the Chamber by writing to: Tenino Chamber of Commerce, P.O.Box 506, Tenino, WA. 98589. Be kind and send enough postage to cover the mailing of this information to you.

A visit has been set up for Thursday, 6 August for members wanting to see the museum. departure time will be decided by those participating on Wednesday at the ANA. If you plan on taking the trip, please contact Del Cushing prior to the convention (206) 244-1596

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### **MEMBER STATUS REPORT**

Virginia Dennis reports that she is following her Doctor's orders, and her shoulder is healing.

John Lawrence suffered a mild heart attack and is on limited status for next 6 weeks but doing well.

Bill Snider had a by-pass operation and is looking forward to some travel with his wife this fall.

Passed Away- Arthur Demars, Sr. (R-1568) He enjoyed belonging to our club, and made many donations to the different functions that the club holds.



**FREE TO CLUB MEMBERS**

Marking the arrival of their newley adopted baby daughter (Laura) Born on March 10, 1997 and adopted on March 24, 1998. Two wooden nickels were struck by Norm Belsten of Toronto, Ontario and there are 100 issues. These woods are done in red hot foil stamping. Send your request to: Paul Johnson, P.O.Box 64556, Unionville, Ontario, Canada L3R 0M9 ( Editor's Note- Don't forget that an SASE for Canada is 55 cents in postage)

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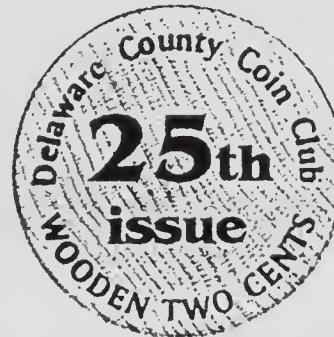
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It is the 60th Anniv. of the Greater New Bedford Coin Club and their wooden nickel is available for 25 cents plus an SASE. Send you orders to: C.C.Grtr. N.B. P.O.Box 2991, New Bedford, MA. 02741

**CHANGE OF ADDRESS**

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I'm interested in locating woods showing UNCLE SAM. (No Sambo woods please) Also, woods that might have a Blacksmith or an Anvil printed on them. Send info on woods you have to: Bill Vatter, 1811 Biscayne Dr., Springfield, OH. 45503



The Delaware County Coin Club has issued it's 25th wooden money. The obverse is the 1724 Colonial Court House in Chester, PA. The reverse is the clubs 2 cents piece. They report having forgot to put a date on the issue! To order the wooden two cent piece, send 30 cents plus an SASE to: Walter Hoffman, 12th & Lincoln Ave., Prospect Park, PA. 19076

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### WOODEN MONEY DISPLAYED

Back in January, Ernie Turnes requested the help in both woods & advice on setting up a wooden money exhibit. Ernie stated he would report back about his display from the May 15-17, 1998 Maryland State Numismatic Association coin show. The exhibit was titled "Wooden Nickels You Can Spend" which took up two cases. My purpose was to generate interest in our hobby. I placed my "good for" woods into categories with captions such as "Hungry? These should help." Woods can be good for a wide range of items. Some banks take wooden nickels, even drug stores issued woods, and a variety of other groupings. A total of 125 woods were used, several of which were obtained as a result of my membership in IOWMC. Planning the exhibit, obtaining the woods, developing the text, and putting it all together was an enjoyable experience. I would encourage others to try their hand at putting together an exhibit at a local show. Please keep up the work that you and the other officers do for our hobby. We appreciate it.  
Ernie Turnes R-2180



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### Three Inch Prince George Wood

By: Jerry Remick

The Prince George Chamber of Commerce of Prince George, British Columbia, has issued a 1998, \$2.00 municipal token. These tokens are made of white spruce wood, and measurer 3 and 5/16th of an inch in diameter & measurer 1/8th inch thick. The wood sells locally at \$2.00. It is valid at participating merchants until December of 1998. Most woods are kept as souvenirs by tourists. This annual Spruce wooden token usually sells out rather fast.

Henry Ham designed and manufactured 500 of the 1998 wooden tokens. The obverse side, printed in blue ink, depicts Prince George's new Aquatic Center which opens in the fall of this year. The reverse side, printed in black ink, shows a map of British Columbia, indicating where Prince George is situated. Their mascot is at the upper right. This is the 150th issue of large spruce municipal tokens by the Prince George Chamber of Commerce. The first one was issued back in 1958. Previous issues had a face value of \$1.00.

The 1998 \$2.00 wooden token is available postpaid at \$4.28 for Canadian residents and \$3.75 for U.S. residents. Send your order to: Prince George Chamber of Commerce 770 Brunswick Street, Prince George, B.C., Canada, V2L 202 (250) 562-2454



### Halifax Coin Club Reaches 40th Anniversary

A wooden nickel has been issued by the Halifax Coin Club of Halifax N.S. The club was founded in 1958 and is the oldest club in the Atlantic Provinces. Side with 40th is printed in black ink, and the club logo is printed in gold. This wood is on sale at \$2.00 postpaid from: Allan Marryatt, 603-41 Cowie Hill Road, Halifax, N.S., Canada B3P 2M7



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## PRESIDENT'S SAY

The 108th A.N.A. Convention is over and we can look forward to the 109th in Chicago next year. Attendance at the convention was excellent and we were able to talk to a lot of people who took an interest in our table and especially the free wooden nickels. In addition to those who joined, there were several who took membership applications along. We may hear from a few as time goes on. A display I put together for the convention and show at the table provided patrons the opportunity to view wooden money that goes beyond just the wooden nickels given away. There was Tenino wooden money and small 25 cent pieces commemorating "Old Ironsides" 1933 visit to the Northwest. Few people have ever seen the Oyster Money, 25 cents good for that Olympia, WA. issued for "Old Ironsides" visit. There were large (2 3/4 in.) 25 cent pieces from Hoquiam, WA. for the years 1937 & 1939. Examples of the Spruce dollars of Prince George, British Columbia, Canada, were also included. The display was well received and gave those manning the table something to point to and start a conversation. My interest was the young people and it was they I tried to educate both about the hobby and history thru wood. My "thanks" go to Al Nystrom, Ted Wolverton, and Floyd Thomas for their assistance at the table during the convention. The 35th Anniversary of I.O.W.M.C. will be celebrated in 1999 and ideas of how best to commemorate the event are welcome. If you have a wood design to be considered, please send it to one of the club officers. Till next Time: Del Cushing

## I.O.W.M.C. GENERAL MEETING MINUTES OF AUGUST 8, 1998

Meeting called to order by President Del Cushing at 10:15 A.M.

The 23 people in attendance introduced themselves.

A moment of silence was observed while the names of this years deceased were read.

The secretary's annual report was read and accepted as read.

The annual Treasurer's report was given by Virginia Dennis. Motion by Ted Wolverton and seconded by Aloma Blaylock to accept the Treasurer's report. Motion Carried.

Ted Wolverton, Floyd Thomas and Joe Snook will be the Nominating Committee for next years elections of officers.

Award Chairman for 1999 will be Robert Fritsch.

The DON MAJOR AWARD was won by Gordon Donnel for his display of Depression Wooden Money.

The raffle drawing was conducted by Ted Wolverton and Floyd Thomas with Virginia doing the recording of prize winners. This was followed by the annual auction. (To be reported by Virginia)

THE END.



Meeting called to order at 10:05 A.M. by President Del Cushing. Present at the meeting- Virginia Dennis, Wayne Dennis, Ted Wolverton, Floyd Thomas, Gordon Donnell, and sitting in was Al Nystrom.

Treasurers report: Virginia Dennis presented the treasurers report. Accepted as read.

Old Business: The Board voted to honor Clinton B. List & Ken Paulsen with Life Memberships. Virginia Dennis will notify them of their selection. This is an action which started under Al Bonesio and due to the lack of a quorum in New York, action was delayed.

New Business: Discussion of the A.N.A.'s table fee to clubs on the Midway. This year I.O.W.M.C. & D.W.M.C. shared the expense of \$150.00. Board agreed to have a table in Chicago if the expense to the club does not exceed \$75.00. It is hoped that the cooperation between the two clubs can again be experienced next year. Motion by Ted Wolverton and seconded by Floyd Thomas to reimburse Del Cushing for the \$75.00 he payed for the clubs cost on half the Midway table. The club will not participate in the Patrons Fund raising for A.N.A. till fee structure for the club tables have been revised. Agreed to pay only one years dues to A.N.A. to see if they will adjust the club fees. Motion By Virginia Dennis and seconded by Ted Wolverton to continue Honorary Life Membership to Numismatic News and Coin World.

Virginia Dennis and Wayne Dennis have agreed to be the Raffle and Auction Chairman again for 1999. There will be a change in the format followed next year. In addition to donated items, they will also be accepting material for consignment with a percentage going to the club upon sales being made. It is hoped that the quality of material for the auction will increase collectors interest in the mail bid.

After much discussion a motion by Ted Wolverton and seconded by Wayne Dennis, to discontinue the financial advance to the Fostoria Club. Motion passed.

Motion by Ted Wolverton and seconded by Gordon Donnell to reimburse Del Cushing \$15.00 for the block engraving for the special wood printed for the I.O.W.M.C. 's visit to the Tenino Museum. Motion passed. There was a total of only 25 pieces printed. All were purchased by the seventeen people in attendance and the engraving has become property of I.O.W.M.C. (See Tenino Museum report)

Wayne Dennis was voted this years Literary Award winner. The Board will view the displays and announce the winner of the Don Major Award at the General Meeting on August 8, 1998. Robert Fritsch and Gordon Donnell are the two exhibitors being considered.

#### IOWMC TREASURER'S REPORT AS OF JULY 31, 1998

CHECKING ACCOUNT: Balance carried forward: \$982.68

#### INCOME:

Dues \$ 22.50

#### EXPENSES:

Editor \$300.00

Net Loss: \$277.50

Bal. Checking Act.: \$705.18

SAVINGS ACCOUNT: Balance carried forward: \$2431.68

Interest (June) 4.26

\$2435.94

LIFE MEMBERSHIP ACT.: Bal. carried forward: \$2461.38

Interest (June) 1.34

Bal. Life/Mem. Act.: \$2462.72

Virginia H. Dennis  
IOWMC Treasurer

Gresh R. Robinson wishes to thank the members for their donations to the IOWMC raffle. He was quite surprised to receive the woods, ANA badges, flats, and pins that he won in our club drawing.

Want any woods that give free game, free play, or free rides. Want any military or naval topic woods. Please quote any you have to sell or trade. Write to: Harley M. Bissell, P.O. Box 863, Chalmers, IN. 47929

| <u>ITEM</u>                               | <u>DONOR</u>                        | <u>WINNER</u>     |
|-------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------|-------------------|
| 1. Misc. Woods<br>Bingo Bag & Misc. Items | Nancy & John Wilson<br>The Dennis's | Mary Baranovich   |
| 2. Misc. Woods & Desk Set                 | Various Members                     | Robert Fritsch    |
| 3. Misc. Woods/Telephone Note Pad         | Charles Luce/The Dennis's           | G. Robinson, Jr.  |
| 4. Misc. Woods/Cooler Bag                 | Al Zaika/The Dennis's               | Floyd Thomas      |
| 5. Misc. Woods/Bingo Bag                  | Al Zaika/The Dennis's               | Irene Lewis       |
| 6. Misc. Woods/Key Chain                  | Charles Grimshaw/Dennis's           | Phil Chinitz      |
| 7. Misc. Woods and Items                  | Various Members                     | G. Robinson, Jr.  |
| 8. Misc. Woods and Items                  | Various Members                     | Floyd Thomas      |
| 9. Misc. Woods                            | Tom Francis                         | Larry White       |
| 10. Misc. Woods                           | Tom Francis                         | Robert Fritsch    |
| 11. Misc. Woods                           | Tom Francis                         | Lila Anderson     |
| 12. Business Woods/Bingo Bag              | Al Zaika/The Dennis's               | Reva Kline        |
| 13. Business Woods/Key Chain Pen          | Al Zaika/The Dennis's               | Allen Nystrom     |
| 14. Business Woods/Misc. Items            | Al Zaika/The Dennis's               | Gordon Donnell    |
| 15. Misc. Woods/Misc. Items               | Charles Luce/The Dennis's           | Herman Aqua       |
| 16. Misc. Woods/Hand Painted Coaster      | Ted Wolverton/Kaz Oyama             | Floyd Thomas      |
| 17. Misc. Woods/Address Book              | Charles Luce/The Dennis's           | Allen Nystrom     |
| 18. Pen Stand/Misc. Woods                 | Jacob Scott/Various Members         | John Hoffman      |
| 19. Misc. Woods/Misc. Items               | Nancy & John Wilson/The Dennis's    | Scott McKibben    |
| 20. Misc. Woods/Misc. Items               | Nancy & John Wilson/The Dennis's    | Donald Clifford   |
| 21. Misc. Woods/Misc. Items               | Nancy & John Wilson/The Dennis's    | Floyd Thomas      |
| 22. Misc. Woods/Misc. Items               | Nancy & John Wilson/The Dennis's    | Mike Vale         |
| 23. Misc. Woods/Misc. Items               | Various Members                     | Jan Henke         |
| 24. Misc. Woods/Playing Cards             | Walter Hoffman/Leslie Salley        | R. Wiltberger     |
| 25. Misc. Woods                           | Ted Wolverton                       | George Lillich    |
| 26. Misc. Woods/Playing Cards             | Walter Hoffman/Leslie Salley        | Frank Davis       |
| 27. Misc. Woods/Assorted Pens             | Walter Hoffman/Leslie Salley        | Joe C. May        |
| 28. Misc. Woods                           | Ted Wolverton                       | William Gsell     |
| 29. Misc. Woods                           | Ted Wolverton                       | A. Craig Hardee   |
| 30. Misc. Woods                           | Ted Wolverton                       | William Grant     |
| 31. Misc. Woods                           | Ted Wolverton                       | Del Cushing       |
| 32. Misc. Woods                           | Ted Wolverton                       | Geo. Schweinfurth |
| 33. Misc. Woods                           | Ted Wolverton                       | Richard Wonson    |
| 34. Misc. Woods                           | Ted Wolverton                       | Ella Cochrane     |
| 35. Misc. Woods/Timer/Key Chains          | Charles Luce/ The Dennis's          | Joe Herrmann      |
| 36. Year Free Dues                        | Joe Snook                           | Carol Green       |
| 37. Year Free Dues                        | Ellen Germeo                        | Rita Stankiewicz  |
| 38. Year Free Dues                        | Tom Francis                         | Norma Montaigne   |
| 39. Year Free Dues                        | Tom Francis                         | Dave Cook         |
| 40. Year Free Dues                        | Frank Davis                         | Maurina Boughton  |
| 41. Year Free Dues                        | Annie & Otis Casey                  | Cecil Sanderson   |
| 42. Year Free Dues                        | Annie & Otis Casey                  | Mary Baranovich   |
| 43. Year Free Dues                        | Annie & Otis Casey                  | Wallace Krocsko   |
| 44. Year Free Dues                        | Annie & Otis Casey                  | Steve Corey       |
| 45. Year Free Dues                        | William Carr                        | George Lillich    |
| 46. Year Free Dues                        | William Carr                        | James Silliman    |
| 47. Year Free Dues                        | Dale Tanner                         | Roy Talbert       |
| 48. Year Free Dues                        | Dale Tanner                         | Herman Aqua       |
| 49. Year Free Dues                        | Walter & Mayme Scott                | Leonard Pallen    |
| 50. \$25.00 Gift Certificate              | John Lawrence                       | Robert Brown      |
| 51. \$25.00 Gift Certificate              | John Lawrence                       | Charlie Grimshaw  |
| 52. 4-Qt. Covered Casserole               | David Hunsicker ****                | Mary Damachroder  |

\*\*\*\* David will mail prize to winner.



Listed elsewhere is a complete list of all the door prizes, donors, and lucky winners.

Total ticket sales (by mail) \$509.00; ticket sales at meeting \$55.00; auction netted \$224.74; and (14) one year free dues \$70.00. Total profit was \$858.74, after all expenses were deducted.

(Expenses included purchase of tickets, envelopes and mailing all to editor by UPS; also mailed 42 door prizes and wrote thank you notes to all donors.)

THANKS to the members who supported this well-worth project for IOWMC. Members who took time to send donations were: Abe Booke, Paul Borack, G. Braithwaite, Robert Brown, William Carr, Annie & Otis Casey, Jerry Conroy, Del Cushing, Frank Davis, Tom Francis, Robert Fritsch, Ellen Germeo, Chas. Grimshaw, Walter Hoffman, David Hunsicker, Wally Krocsko, John Lawrence, Charles Luce, Kaz Oyama, Leslie Salley, Jacob Scott, Walter & Mayme Scott, Art Sloan, Joe Snook, Dale Tanner, Floyd Thomas, John & Nancy Wilson, Ted Wolverton, Al Zaika, Wayne & Virginia Dennis, Old Time Wooden Nickle Company (Herb), Allen Nystrom, Larry White and Ken Hedden.

Members who purchased additional tickets and/or donated extra money were: Paul Borack, Norm & Maurina Boughton, Ella Cochrane, Dave Cook, Steve Corey, Del Cushing, Mary Damschroder, Harry Davis, Wayne Ferrell, Tom Francis, Robert Fitsch, Adam Fritzal, Cliff Gabard, Carol Green, Chas. Grimshaw, J. C. Hoffman, Walter Hoffman, David Hunsicker, William Jabs, Cecil Jackson, Chris Johns, Larry Kinder, Jeanne Kotrba, Wally Krocsko, Basil Latham, John Lawrence, Raul Ledesma, Bill Manifold, Gus Meccarello, Norma Montaigne, Tom O'Dell, Leonard Pallen, Ken Paulsen, Sheldon Phillips, C. Sanderson, G. Schweinfurth, K. Shellaby, Art Sloan, Bill Snider, Joe Snook, Rita Stankiewicz, Roy Talbert, Dale Tanner, Floyd Thomas, Ernest Turnes, Bill Werst, Patrick Whalen, Glendon Whisler, R. Willadsen, R. Wiltberger, Ted Wolverton and Wayne Dennis.

Auction was conducted by Del Cushing who was assisted by Floyd Thomas. Ninety percent of the lots were sold. There were seven members who sent in mail bids and each of them received all or portion of the lots they bid on. There was lot of action on Sambo woods, and once again the tee shirts from Herb, owner of The Old Time Wooden Nickel Company, which sold for \$11.00 each. (These tee shirts arrived too late to be listed in the mail bid auction printed in Chips.)

I want to thank Floyd Thomas, Ted Wolverton and Del Cushing in drawing tickets for the door prize winners.

I hope I have not overlooked anyone. If I have, please accept my apology, as it certainly is just an oversight.

On behalf of myself, the IOWMC Officers and Board Members, **THANK YOU ALL** for your continuous support to our great organization.

I'm sorry to report that Robbin Quinn's package did not arrive in time to be auction items. We left home on July 23rd, heading to Portland; but we made quite a few stops to visit family and friends along the way. According to our son, package arrived four days later. Sorry Robbin as your hand made signs would have caused some lively auction betting.

Virginia H. Dennis  
Chairperson

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#### IOWMC - 1999 BENEFIT/RAFFLE

Allen Nystrom and John Wilson have already given me packages of wood for the Chicago Meeting. Its never too early to start on next year's activity. We all Thank You. If any other members have woods, etc. for next year's drawing, please feel free to send them on to me.

THANK YOU.

Virginia Dennis



#### THANKS TO JOE SNOOK

who supplied me with a few no value, red and blue woods to commemorate Portland, Oregon, 1983 Pan Pacific Exp. '83. **ALL PROCEEDS GO INTO IOWMC TREASURY.** Cost: 50 cents plus an SASE. Write: Virginia Dennis 1852 Golden shadow Drive, Henderson Nv. 89015-8620



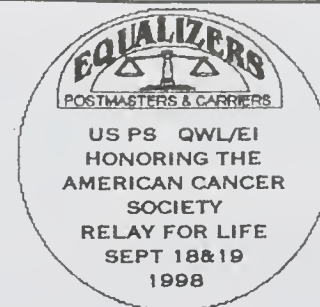
**BOB HENDERSHOTT-100 YEARS-1898 -1998**

All who attended the ANA Convention in Portland, Or. received an unexpected surprise!

At the Heritage Table #310, was a young gentleman who was going to celebrate his 100th birthday on Aug. 7th. Mr. Hendershott was handing out a special wood to commemorate this great occasion. He was even gracious enough to sign the woods if you asked him to. An Aug. 7th cake was served to all and 1998 Lincoln cents were given out. At a special convention reception, he was honored as ANA Numismatist of the year. During this special meeting, a fabulous buffet was served for over three hours to all in attendance. It was at this time his lovely wife passed out both an elongated nickel and the 1998 cents to us.

Mr. Hendershott, himself, put into circulation an 1893 Indian Cent at a book store (found this out much later). The finder of this coin would receive a ANA Century Set. This set consists of U.S. coins from cent through the dollar coin for both 1898 and 1998, with the 1998 dollar being a silver American Eagle. (To my knowledge, I do not know if anyone had found this coin for the prize.) A second set of Century Coins was given away on Aug. 9th at the ANA Membership table, through a drawing. Everyone registered for the convention was eligible to sign up for this drawing. Mr. Hendershott told everyone that he would see them next year in Chicago, Illinois-1999.

Submitted By: Virginia Dennis



A wooden nickel honoring The American Cancer Society Relay For Life being held on Sept. 18-19, 1998 is now available to collectors. The 1998 wood has the standard buffalo on one side and a commemorative logo on the other side. The color is black on both sides. Only a total of 1,000 of these woods have been produced and no more will be printed. We ask that you send only a reasonable donation payable to The American Cancer Society, plus an SASE. Send your donation to: Cancer Woods, 114 Cedar St., Chestertown, MD. 21620-1202



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Have Winthrop Terrace Bus Tokens for sale. These come from Bowling Green University (in Ohio) where a bus service was run for students during the 1985-1987 school years. These tokens were distributed by the Winthrop Terrace Apartments for their residents to use. Limited to a small supply, I'm asking for 50 cents each plus an SASE. Mail your orders to: John Bowers, 1333 Cove Ave. #307, Lakewood, OH. 44107

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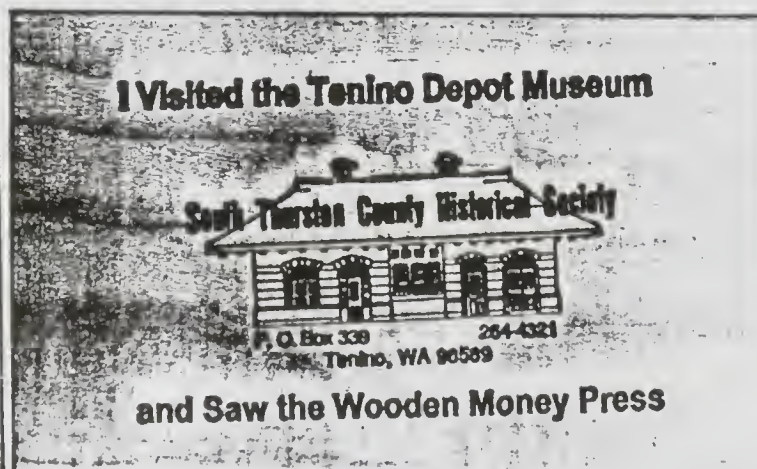
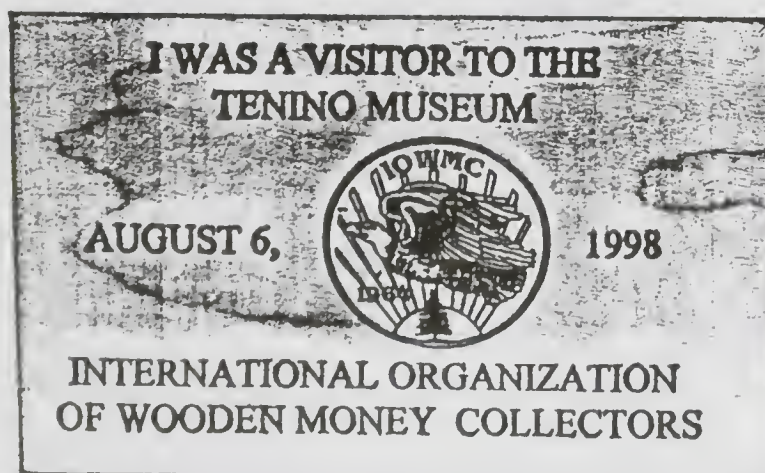
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New club member listing  
Updated membership roster  
History on past wood issues  
Sale & Trade member ads  
Story on POWMT swap meet  
Portrait on IOWMC member  
And More!



The auction lots listed below were not sold at the annual meeting. ALL PROCEEDS GO INTO IOWMC'S TREASURY. ALL SALES ARE FINAL. Please make your reasonable bid by lot number. Successful bidder must pay postage and insurance. Write: Virginia Dennis, 1852 Golden Shadow Drive, Henderson, NV. 89015-8620. MAIL BID CLOSING ON OCTOBER 18TH, 1998

- | LOT #    | ITEM                                                                                                                                                                        |
|----------|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| 1.-----  | 1950, Fargo, ND, 5 cent red, Diamond Jubilee                                                                                                                                |
| 2.-----  | 1976, Torrance, CA. - 2 pc. BiCent. set- "Happy Birthday America"                                                                                                           |
| 3.-----  | Block of 4 Special Delivery Stamps (45 cents ea.) Block #31506- Face value: \$1.80                                                                                          |
| 4.-----  | 1985-4 pc. set.- 94th ANA Conv. at Baltimore, MD.- 4 diff. Host Coin Clubs                                                                                                  |
| 5.-----  | 1998 elongated nickel commem. R. Hendershott's 100th Birthday                                                                                                               |
| 6.-----  | 1956, Meriden, Conn. 5 cent RED- Sesque'l.                                                                                                                                  |
| 7.-----  | 1997- Private issue of R. Brown for Windsor Coin Club-35th O.N.A. Conv. Canada                                                                                              |
| 8.-----  | 1986- Grays Harbor Coin Club 24th Coin Show - 12 pc. set                                                                                                                    |
| 9.-----  | 1987- Grays Harbor Coin Club 25th Coin Show - 12 pc. set                                                                                                                    |
| 10.----- | 1988- Grays Harbor Coin Club 26th Coin Show - 12 pc. set                                                                                                                    |
| 11.----- | 2 diff. First Day of Issue- UN Commemorates Human Environment- May 6, 1972<br>"In the Interest of Mankind"                                                                  |
| 12.----- | 3 diff. First Day of Issue- Chief Crazy Horse - Jan. 15, 1982; Winston S. Churchill, Centenary Year of Birth, Nov. 30, 1974 and 83rd Cheyenne Frontier Days, July, 28, 1979 |
| 13.----- | 3 diff. First Day of Issue- National parks Series: Wolf Trap Farm, June 26, 1972 and Mount McKinley, July 28, 1972                                                          |
| 14.----- | 2 diff. First Day of Issue- UN Conference on Human Environment to Foster New Concepts for Preserving The Living World, June 5, 1972                                         |
| 15.----- | First Day of Issue - America Revolution Series- July 5, 1972                                                                                                                |
| 16.----- | First Day of Issue - Dutchess Philatelic Soc. "Lighting the Torch- Winter Olympics"<br>2-5- 80                                                                              |
| 17.----- | 2 diff. First Day of Issue- Dutchess Philatelic Soc. Stampco '78, (1) Comm. the Great Chain and (2) Honoring Brig. Gen. Tadeusz Kosciuszko - April 15, 1978                 |

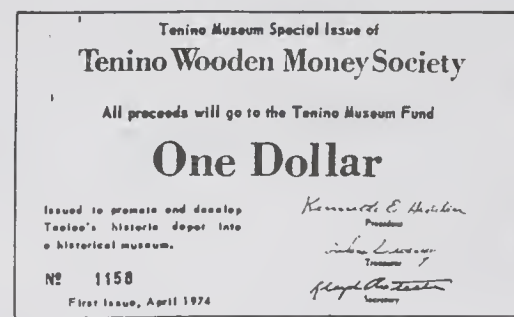
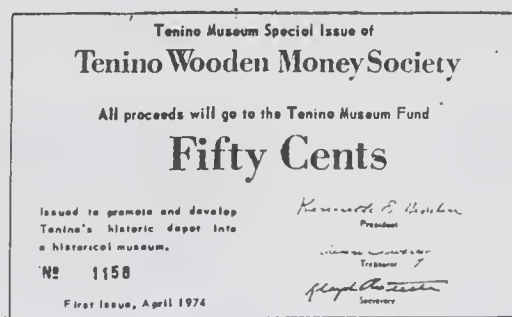
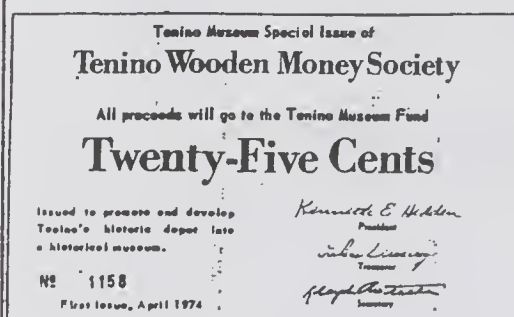


"Surprise" for the touring group to Tenino, WA.. New wood designed by Del Cushing to mark the occasion. Total of 25 pieces made, all were purchased by those in attendance. The block engraving cost was reimbursed to Del Cushing and now is property of I.O.W.M.C.

It was Thursday, August 6, 1998 a three car caravan left Portland, Oregon for a trip to Tenino, WA. It was approximately 100 miles, one way. Our objective was to see the printing press that was used to print the famous 1931 Tenino Wooden Money and the Thurston County Independent Newspaper. Also, we wanted to re-aquaint ourselves with members in that local. This was a side trip that was planned while attending the A.N.A. We were welcomed by Loren Ackerman, type setter at the museum, Ken and Barbara Hedden, Art and Eilene Dwelley, and a few others that we neglected to get the names of. To the best of our knowledge, all who toured the museum were Les and Jean Albright, Richard and Aloma Blaylock, Del and Mary Cushing, Wayne and Virginia Dennis, Mr. & Mrs. Robert Leberman, Allen Nystrom, Floyd Thomas, and Ted Wolverton. The Museum, not only housed the printing press, but it had quite a display of memorabilia from the early settlement days of Tenino. There was also a display of Tenino Money. Ken Hedden had a copy of the Congressional Record Book of 1932 which had a write-up about Tenino Wooden Money being the official monetary unit for Tenino in 1931. Loren Ackerman presented to each of us a three-piece set of woods issued April 1974. See illustration #1 (actual size is 5-1/2 x 3-1/2). Ken and Barbara Hedden also gave each of us an envelope with goodies, woods, literature, and a smile wood postcard. See illustration #2 (actual size is 5-3/4 x 4). The museum also had Tenino wood issues for sale for a nominal price. All sales money is used to fund the upkeep and maintenance of the museum. Pres. Del Cushing made prior arrangements with Loren Ackerman to print a special wood for all who came to this Tenino visit. See illustration #3 (actual size is 5 x 3). Cost of wood was \$1.00; and the printing was limited to 25 pieces, all of which were purchased by the tour group. The Blaylocks were very original and had everyone in attendance, at the museum, to sign their wood. We ate lunch at a restaurant called Grub Stake Cafe. The food and service was good. While we were there, Mr. Ackerman came in and requested that we return to the museum, as the newspaper photographer showed up, and would like to take a few pictures. We all obliged them. Another stop was to the Hedden's Pharmacy. Outside of the building was a huge wooden nickel. it measures six feet in diameter, and in the center is hand carved buffalo (or bison). A very fine job of wood carving it is! Late afternoon we headed back to Portland. Two of the three-car caravan stopped off at St. Helens State Park to see what has happened to St. Helens since its eruption on May 18, 1980. All was well, even though a week before, there was some activity going on up there that was being monitored and reported regularly on the news channels and in the newspapers. It was a very enjoyable day for all. Submitted by: Virginia Dennis

### ILLUSTRATION #1

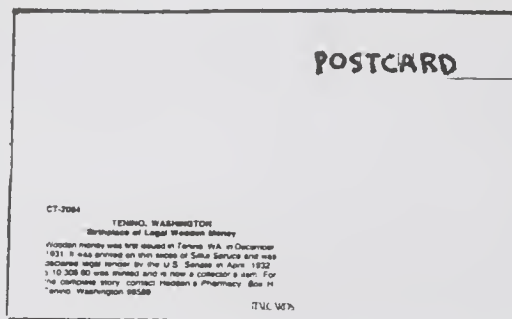
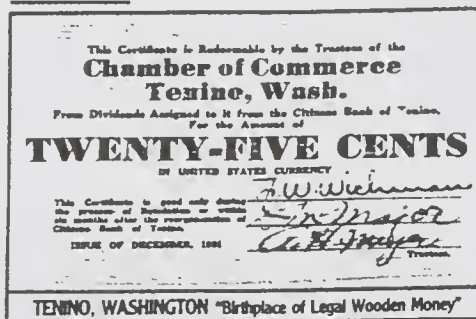
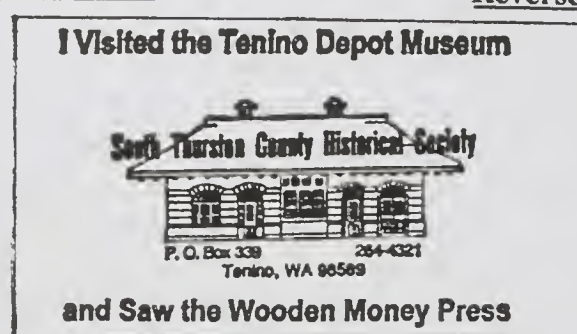
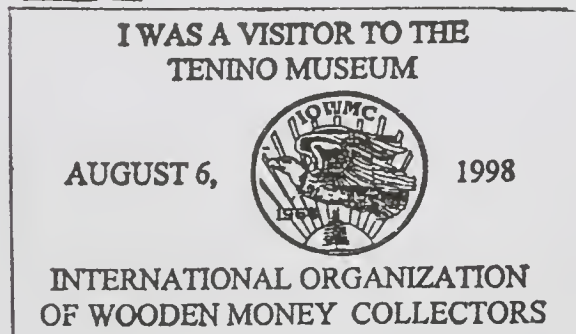
#### Obverse



Reverse has same design on all 3 pieces





ObverseILLUSTRATION #2ReverseObverseILLUSTRATION #3ReverseIOWMC FISCAL REPORT - AUGUST 1, 1997 THRU JULY 31, 1998CHECKING ACCOUNT: Balance carried forward: \$1296.51INCOME:

|                                 |                  |
|---------------------------------|------------------|
| Dues                            | \$1260.50        |
| Wood & Book Sales               | 36.70            |
| Donations                       | 61.74            |
| Mail Bid (C. List)              | 76.52            |
| Raffle - 1997                   | 747.07           |
| Raffle - (Quinn)                | 279.00           |
| Paid Ads                        | 85.00            |
| Funds transferred from L/M Act. | 800.00           |
|                                 | <u>\$3346.53</u> |

SAVINGS ACCOUNT: Balance carried forward: \$2376.81INCOME:

|                              |                 |
|------------------------------|-----------------|
| Interest Received            | \$ 48.13        |
| Fostoria Funds (Woods Sales) | 11.00           |
|                              | <u>\$ 59.13</u> |

EXPENSES:

NONE

|                          |                 |
|--------------------------|-----------------|
| Net Profit:              | <u>\$ 59.13</u> |
| Balance Savings Account: | \$2435.94       |

EXPENSES:

|                        |                  |
|------------------------|------------------|
| Editor                 | \$3600.00        |
| Bulk Mail Permit       | 85.00            |
| Secretary              | 75.00            |
| President's Woods-1998 | 119.00           |
| Awards - 1997          | 15.86            |
| A.N.A. Dues            | 33.00            |
| Refunded Check         | 5.00             |
| Dues Check Bounced     | 5.00             |
|                        | <u>\$3937.86</u> |

|                           |                |
|---------------------------|----------------|
| Net Loss:                 | <u>\$91.33</u> |
| Balance Checking Account: | \$ 705.18      |

LIFE MEMBERSHIP ACCOUNT:

Balance carried forward: \$3175.29

INCOME:

Interest Received \$ 87.43

EXPENSES:

Trans. Funds to Checking

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| <u>\$800.00</u>            |                  |
| Net Loss:                  | <u>\$ 712.57</u> |
| Bal. Life Membership Act.: | \$2462.72        |

Virginia H. Dennis  
 IOWMC Treasurer

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## JOE SNOOK

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Portland, Oregon

I was born August 15, 1935 in Vernonia, Oregon, a small logging and farming town located just outside of the Portland perimeter. After I graduated in 1953, went to work in a local saw mill until it closed down.

I married my wife Margy in 1955. We are proud parents of five children, two sons and three daughters. Presently we have thirteen grand-children.

December, 1957 we moved to Portland, Oregon after the saw mill closed down. I worked for a bulk liquid storage tank company called Pacific Molasses Company (P.M. AG). This employment was short lived as it lasted thirty-nine years; October, 1958 to October, 1997. I am retired now and like so many other retirees, there isn't enough hours in a day to do all chores that must be done. My wife has suggested I find a job so I can get all the many "honey-do" jobs done like I did when employed.

I was a coin collector in my early years. I still do some but mostly for the grand-children sake. It was in the early 1980's that I got interested in "wooden money." Visiting the various flea markets is where I obtained my wooden money. I had a chance to purchase two collections of Sambo Coffee Chips in 1985, which I did - approximately 900 different pieces.

My collecting was always side-lined during hunting and fishing seasons, being an avid hunter and fisherman. Now you can add softball to the above. I play in slow pitch softball leagues. I prefer being a pitcher but once they discovered what a fast runner I was; now I am "a utility outfielder."

My wood collection consist of approximately 12,000 pieces. I'm still categorized as an accumulative collector as I am undecided what my primary speciality will be; even though my greatest wood collection consists of Sambo Coffee Chips (approximately 1000 pieces).

This year I attended my first convention in Portland, Oregon. This gave me the opportunity to discus wood collecting with the wooden money collectors to get their input and ideas. I do believe I am on the right track as I now store my woods in three-ring binders, filed alphabetically by state and city.

Submitted by Virginia Dennis





### PRESIDENT'S SAY

Thanks to Ted Wolverton, Floyd Thomas, and Joe Snook who agreed to serve on the Election Committee to find officer candidates to take the club into the next century. Some time ago I purchased the book collection of one IOWMC early members, Gleen Rome. With it came newsletters from the 70's which I had an opportunity to peruse recently looking for some of the ideas, actions, or pleadings used by the officers of that era to get members involved in the running of the club. Being an officer in a club such as IOWMC that meets only once a year is not time consuming. The three officers that do require some extra effort are: #1, The editor of the newsletter. This is a major time consuming job putting together the newsletter, getting it

printed, and then mailed to the members. As an organization, we are very lucky to have one of the best that I have had the pleasure of working with in Robbin Quinn. You should all give him a big hand for a job Well Done. #2, the treasurer, who is responsible for maintaining the books, paying the bills and providing a treasury report. There are functions associated with the office that I have not profiled here. Thanks to the work of Virginia Dennis I have kept informed of the club financial status each and every month. #3, the secretary. Beginning in a few short months, all members will become familiar with this office as it is the Secretary to whom dues are paid initially. The secretary records each members dues and issues membership cards. In addition the secretary keeps a permanent record of the happenings at Board Meetings and General Meetings. Thanks to Shelley Quinn, Virginia Dennis and Robbin Quinn, my job as President is much less time consuming and frustrating. If you are aware of a good candidate or wish to volunteer for an office, Please contact one of the Election Committee members. Make sure that the person being nominated is willing to serve if elected. The club officers elected will be the ones to lead this organization into the 21 Century and the years to come. As we approach the 35th Anniversary of the clubs founding, lets keep in mind that we are a "Collectors" oriented organization and not a "Financial" investment association. Strive to keep collecting light, simple and people oriented through trading or just corresponding with collectors that have your same interests.

Till next time; Del Cushing

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### FOR SALE

Steve Corey of High Desert Belt Buckles has his wooden nickel for sale. Wood is actual size & green on both sides. Woods can be purchased for 25 cents each or new U.S. postage stamps and an SASE. No checks accepted. Send your orders to: Steve Corey, P.O.Box 267, Mojave, CA. 93502



## FROM THE EDITOR'S DESK



It would seem that summer is over in our neck of the woods. Leaves are quickly changing color and starting to fall to set the mood for Halloween and that of a long cold winter. Time to break out want lists and start corresponding with fellow collectors to add missing woods to your collections. I enjoyed the month off during August as editor and used the time to put some paint on our house, plant a winter crop in the garden, and preform a late spring cleaning in my garage. If you have any material you would like to see in our newsletter, now is a good time as any to send it in. I attended the 5th swap meet held by the POWMT in Vienna, Ohio. It was good to see friends again from last year and everyone had a nice time. Members should plan to make the one day event as it is always worth while to spend a full day with fellow

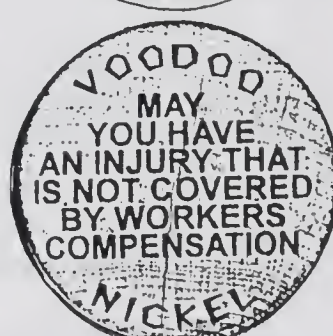
collectors and make new friends in our hobby. Thank you to all the members who took the time to send in the material used throughout this past year. Members like Wayne & Virginia Dennis, Bob Brown, Ted Wolverton Floyd Thomas, Bill Snider, Del Cushing, and a host of others take it upon themselves to act as reporters and supply material each year for us. After all, you will only receive back in Chips what you are kind enough to put into it. Until next month-----Robbin Quinn-Editor-----

WOODEN NICKEL ISSUE FOR SALE

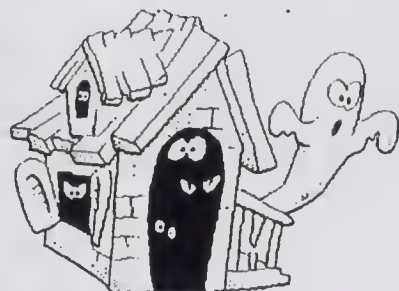
Fishbowl Wooden Nickel Coin Club has issued their 1998 wood which features a chipmunk. Color is in black on both sides. Wood available for 25 cents plus an SASE from: Fishbowl Wooden Nickel CC, Gary Schauls, 2702 150th Street, Luck, WI. 54853

Wooden nickels Issued By The Wicked Wizard

Latest in the wood issues from Bill are going for 25 cents each or 4 for \$1.00 to IOWMC members. Send your order with correct SASE to: Bill Morphet, 3360 Chichester Ave. Apt.# A-13, Boothwyn, PA. 19061

DUES- DUES- DUES- DUES

Please check your records to see if you have yet to pay your club dues. Payment is to be made prior to the 31st of Dec. Dues remain at \$5.00 for a year of club membership. \$2.00 for junior's and associates if at the same address. Send your check or money order to the club secretary attn.: Shelley Quinn, 5295 Beechwood Road, Ravenna, OH. 44266





**LOUISA, VIRGINIA - 125th ANNIVERSARY - 1893-1998**

The town of Louisa is located in Central Virginia, near Lake Anna and Interstate 64. Louisa has a population of 1350 residents; and also is the county seat.

Louisa, as well as the state of Virginia, have been in the hub of history from the Revolutionary Days through the Civil War. You can drive the roads where Jack Jouett rode his horse to save the lives of Thomas Jefferson and other founding fathers. A visit to the Historical Society Museum has many memorabilias, walk the streets of downtown and see Louisa Courthouse built many years ago. Louisa has a charming village atmosphere where you can browse the quaint shops for antiques and other collectibles, and dine at the local businesses.

Louisa County is the location of the largest Cavalry Battle of the Civil War - "Trevilian Station." The Battlefield Foundation is in the process of restoration of this site. Other battle sites in the area include Wilderness, Richmond, Chancellorsville, Petersburg, Appomattox, Fredericksburg and Culpeper.

One can drive through the Green Springs Historic District where Cyrus McCormick tested his famous mechanical reaper. Other historical attractions are the homes of Thomas Jefferson, James Madison and James Monroe. More than 250 original 18th and 19th century homes, barns, and other out-buildings, including thirty-six that are listed in the national register of historic places. This area covers 14,000 acres and has been farmed continuously for over 200 years and is unspoiled today.

Current recreation includes water sports activities of all kind in Lake Anna, Lake Louisa and Small Country Lake. Lake Anna offers the largest area for recreation. Lake Anna is the second largest lake in the state, 13,000 acres. Fishing is the best here.

There is also airplane rides and sky diving, biking, and camping for those who indulge in this activity. For those of you who like "cow pasture pool," there are several golf courses. Sorry, no par for any of the courses were given but Meadow Farms Golf Course offers the longest hole in one.

Summertime brings the festival season. Louisa County hosts two national bluegrass festivals, as well as other fairs, festivals and celebrations. The old fashioned County Agricultural Fair is held in August. You can see everything from country crafts to Jack Russell Terrier races to horse shows.

The 125th anniversary celebration started on May 8, 1998 at 9:00 am and ran all day. The 125th Anniversary Ball was at 8:00 pm. On May 9th all activities started at 7:00 am and lasted all day. The grand finale was the parade at 11:00 am. The grand marshalls were two NBC Anchors, Channel 29, Brandi Sauers and Bill Duvall.

Information was received from Greg Ferguson, Town Manager and Phyllis Johnson, Vice-President and Corporate Secretary, Virginia Community Bank. Both Ferguson and Johnson served on the 125th Anniversary Committee. To the best of their knowledge this is the first commemorative wooden nickel put out by the Town of Louisa.

A wooden nickel was put out by the Virginia Community Bank. Only 1000 pieces were made for this event. The bank was sole distributor of the wooden nickel and were not "for sale." In late June my correspondence with Mr. Ferguson and telephone conversation with Ms. Johnson revealed only 100 woods were available and the bank was holding them for new customers. These woods are not for sale for two reasons: (1) the bank would not be able to answer the requests for the wood; and (2) not enough pieces to fill the requests.



This piece of wood is a 5¢ black with a Buffalo. This wood looks official in every way. It does not carry the name of the state or any date or year. This should be listed as "semi-official" because it was sponsored by the Virginia Community Bank. Again, this must be your own choice.

Submitted by M. Wayne and Virginia H. Dennis



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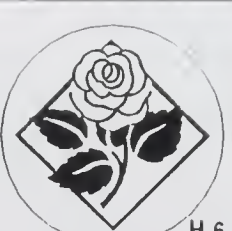
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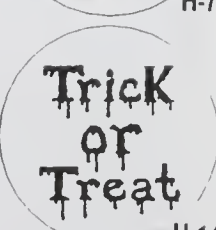
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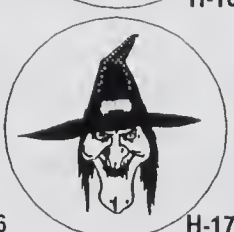
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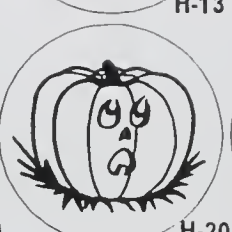
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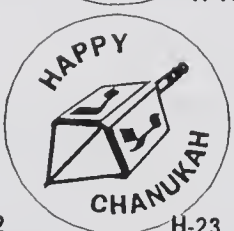
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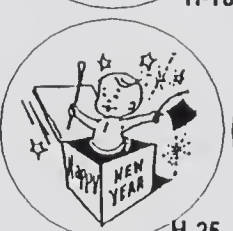
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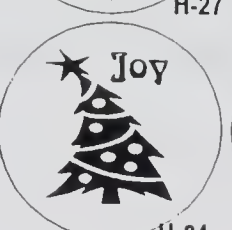
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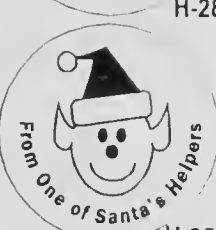
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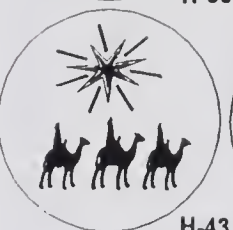
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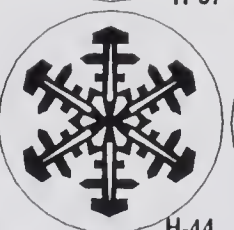
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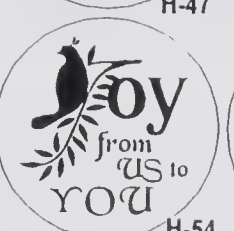
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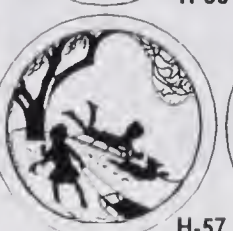
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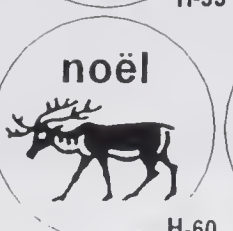
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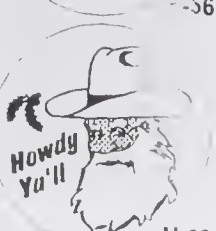
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**HAPPY  
HOLIDAYS**

# HOLIDAY WOODEN NICKEL ISSUES

**JOYFUL  
TRADITIONS**

by  
**Communicate It Ink, Company**  
10445 Trailway Oak, San Antonio, Texas 78240

It is that time of year... and again we are proud to offer an even wider selection of stock designs for Holidays - year round! On the reverse side are 63 different designs that coin club and wooden money club members may purchase at the below special holiday rates... any time of the year! Place your order for wooden nickels now, so you can pass them out, place them on gifts or on the tree, or mail them with your greetings. You know our quality can't be beat, and we have even lowered some of our prices too!

## BASE PRICE FOR TOKENS

|                |                |                |                |                 |
|----------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|-----------------|
| <b>NICKELS</b> | <b>\$17.50</b> | <b>\$24.00</b> | <b>\$34.00</b> | <b>\$46.00</b>  |
| QUANTITY       | 100            | 250            | 500            | 1,000           |
| <b>DOLLARS</b> | <b>\$33.50</b> | <b>\$50.00</b> | <b>\$83.50</b> | <b>\$110.00</b> |

## ADDITIONAL CHARGES

|                                  |                   |
|----------------------------------|-------------------|
| STOCK DESIGN SIDE.....           | <b>FREE</b>       |
| CUSTOM SIDES.....                | <b>\$7.00 EA.</b> |
| SAME COLOR BOTH SIDES.....       | <b>FREE</b>       |
| DIFFERENT COLOR EACH SIDE.....   | <b>\$10.00</b>    |
| 2-COLORS ON SAME SIDE.....       | <b>2.5¢ EA.</b>   |
| LASER-ENGRAVED SIDE.....         | <b>2.5¢ EA.</b>   |
| SHIPPING 1,000 NICKELS OR LESS.. | <b>\$7.00</b>     |
| SHIPPING 500 DOLLARS OR LESS.... | <b>\$7.00</b>     |
| HOLES DRILLED IN TOKENS.....     | <b>2.5¢ EA.</b>   |

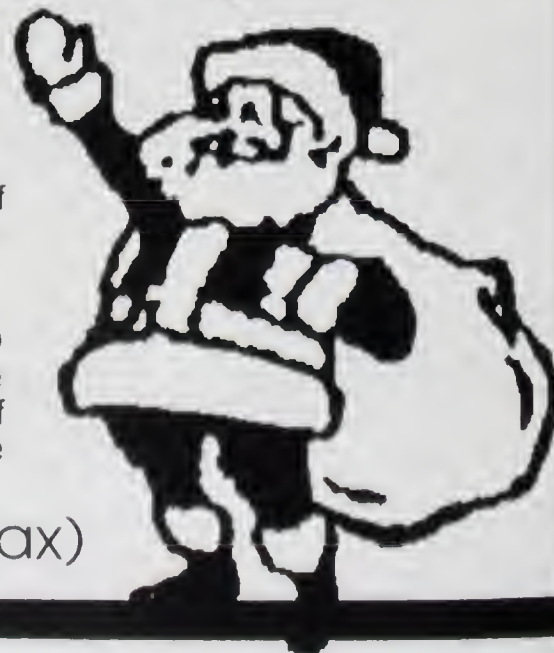
**ASSORTED STOCK DESIGNS**  
**\$7.50**

Select different stock designs printed in your choice of colors on one side, with your imprint on the other side. Only \$7.50 per different color!

**ANY COLOR IS OFFERED!** Nickels are printed with smudge-proof enamel inks and shipped by count. Designing artwork service is free. Production for standard orders is two weeks.

Texas orders add 7.75% tax. Cash, checks or Credit Cards only, NO C.O.D.! Include your phone number with your order! All orders will be verified by fax or telephone. If you do not hear from CII within 10 days of placing your order, assume we did not get your order! Orders are delivered by FEDEX or USPS unless otherwise specified.

1-800-750-8701 or 800-750-0676 (fax)





## INFORMATION ON PERSONALIZED CHRISTMAS WOOD PRINTERS--By Jerry Remick

Each year we have members who have Christmas greetings printed up on flats and rounds. These are then given away, traded or sold at a fair price to members wishing to have one. Details on personalized wood printers for 1998 are covered below for seven sources. Please contact any of the wood printers you wish, at once, in order to obtain their brochure showing designs, colors, sizes and price data. The sooner you have your issue on hand, the sooner you can have your free ad printed in Chips.

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CANADA WIDE WOODS-ATTN. LARRY WALKER, GENERAL DELIVERY, GADSHILL, ONT. CANADA NOK 1J0
TELEPHONE # (519) 271-3352

Printer offers 5 obverse designs for round Christmas woods and 9 designs for flat woods. One Hanukkah design is available for round woods. All woods are pictured on their 5 page brochure. If the firm receives a good Christmas design, they will have a die made for it free of charge. Round woods are available in 1.5 and 1.75 inch diameters. The design is hot stamped with a variety of bright colors available, including multicolor. 100 round woods in 1.5 inch size, including your personal die, are available at \$60.00. 100 round woods in the 1.75 inch size, including personal die are available at \$65.00. The 100 piece run on flats (3.23 X 3.75 inches) in white maple, including your personal die, are available at \$70.00. Two different holiday verses plus a blank space below for 2 lines of text are available. You may wish to compose your own text for the reverse die. Canadians should add 7% GST and Ontario residents should add 8% PST. Postage is extra and all prices are in Canadian dollars.

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NORM BELSTEN 37 NEAMES CRESCENT, DOWNSVIEW, ONT. CANADA M3L 1K0 TELEPHONE # (416) 247-7676

Norm has 5 obverse Christmas designs and 6 reverses with English Christmas verses and one in French. All this is fully illustrated in his one page brochure for his white maple flats and light brown cherry flats, both 2.75 X 3.5 inches. From a selection of 9 colors, all applied by the hot stamped process, giving bright colors from a thin foil type paper. Two different colors can be chosen for the obverse side and two different colors can be chosen for the reverse. Under the verse on the reverse side, there are three lines left for wording of 15 characters per line for the sender's name, ect., which is placed at no charge. 100 wood flats are priced at \$64.50. Norm also offers 4 obverse designs, 1 reverse greeting in English and one in French for 1.5 inch round wood. Reverse designs include your name, the year and a greeting or wooden nickel. One color, chosen from the 10 colors, printed by the hot stamped process, is allowed for each side. One hundred 1.5 inch round woods are \$44.50 postpaid. Ontario residents should add 8% PST to all prices quoted above. All prices are in Canadian dollars.

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UNIVERSAL SIGNS-ATTN. JIM EDWARDS, 880 HANWELL RD., FREDERICTON, NEW BRUNSWICK, CANADA E3B 6A3
TELEPHONE # (506) 453-1104

This firm offers both flats and rounds for printing of Christmas woods. There are over 20 standard Christmas designs the firm has in stock for your use. Camera-ready art work for the name and address side must be supplied by the customer. Otherwise a fee will be charged if art work is required. Thick balsa wood flats (1/16 inch in thickness) with embossed (raised) printing are a speciality of this firm. The flats are printed with a plastoid puff, which gives the printed parts an embossed effect. Prices for wood flats up to 3 X 4 inches in size, with up to four colors are: 100 flats at \$1.55 each, 200 flats at \$1.45 each and 300 flats at \$1.35 each. Prices for round woods of 1.5 inches in diameter in one color are: 100 woods at \$40.00 and 200 woods at \$70.00. Prices quoted above do not include postage or 7% GST for Canadians. All the above prices are in Canadian dollars as well.

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COMMUNICATE IT INK, CO. 10445 TRAILWAY OAK, SAN ANTONIO, TX. 78240 TELEPHONE # (800) 750-8701

This company offers 39 Christmas designs and 3 Hanukkah designs for 1.5 and 2 inch round wood in their 4 page brochure. The company invites you to submit your own non-personalized holiday design, for any holiday, for free imprinting. Prices for the same color imprinted on both sides of the 1.5 inch round woods are: 100 for \$17.50, 250 for \$24.00, 500 for \$34.00 and 1000 for \$46.00. Prices for the 2 inch round woods are: 100 for \$33.75, 250 for \$50.00, 500 for \$83.50 and 1000 for \$110.00. Custom personal side setup charge is \$7.00. A different color for each side is \$10.00 extra. Shipping will run you for \$6.00. A special assortment of designs can also be ordered. Please include your phone number with your order, as the company calls to verify every order received. Other services include: laser-engraved rounds, painted rounds, 2-color per side imprinting and a hole drilled into each round so it can be used as an ornament. The company offers lightweight plastic Coroplast ( corrugated plastic holders) in a variety of colors and sizes for holding from 1 up to 25 of the 1.5 inch rounds. These are ideal for mailing woods.

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JERRY LEDET, BAYOU PRODUCTS CO., P.O.BOX 1117, THIBODOUX, LA. 70302 TELEPHONE # (504) 447-8472

They have 8 standard Christmas designs for the 1.5 inch wooden round and 1 for Hanukkah listed in their brochure. Jerry offers one of his standard holiday designs for one side of a round and your personal data on the other side with a maximum of 8 characters and spaces at the following rates. 100 woods for \$24.00 plus \$2.50 shipping for U.S. residents and \$2.90 for Canadian residents. Orders of 250 woods will go for \$29.00 plus \$3.00 shipping for U.S. residents and \$5.50 for the Canadian orders. There is no charge for the side with the senders name and other data. From a selection of 6 colors, the issuer may choose one color for one side of their wood and, if desired, a different color for the other side, at no extra charge.

CHRISTMAS WOOD PRINTERS CONT.

JOHN LAWRENCE, 25 NORTH WAYNE AVE., HAVERSTRAW, NEW YORK, 10993 PHONE # (914) 429-2802

John can supply personalized holiday wood flats on 1/32 inch thick balsa wood in 5 different sizes. Three colors are used on both sides, with the issuer choosing the colors. John illustrates 58 obverse designs for Christmas and Hanukkah woods and 11 reverse holiday designs in his 6 page brochure. The price for the minimum order of 100 wood flats is as follows: 2 X 2.25 inch flats (\$22.75), 2 X 3 inch flats (\$31.75), 2 X 4 inch flats (\$37.75), 3 X 4 inch flats (\$43.75) and 3 X 5.5 inch flats are (\$63.75). Postage is \$3.75 extra per order. There is no charge for your name and address on the verse side of your own verse. Also available are long, flat, wood sticks, three-fifths inches wide by 6 inches long that resemble tongue depressors used by doctors. Two lines of text on one side with the symbol 5 cents (if desired) at each end, all in two colors are available at 25 pieces for \$5.50 to 100 pieces at \$15.50. There will be a charge of \$3.75 for postage. John originated this type of wood issue.

OLD TIME WOODEN NICKEL CO., P.O.BOX 18362, SAN ANTONIO, TX. 78218-0362 PHONE # (800) 750-9915 and (210) 930-1677

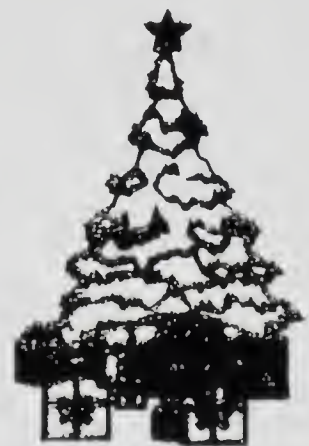
This company offers 19 obverse designs in their brochure for 1.5 inch and 2 inch round woods for Christmas and New Years. There are 2 different designs for Hanukkah. One color is allowed for both sides. A different color for the second side is \$8.00 extra. Prices for the 1.5 inch rounds are as follows: 100 for \$21.00, 250 for \$30.00, and 500 for \$55.00. The 2 inch rounds will run at 100 for \$42.00, 250 for \$60.00, and 500 for \$85.00. There is no charge for the set-up of the sender's personal data for the reverse side. Shipping will run you \$7.50 for up to 1,000 woods. The company also offers laser engraved wooden nickels.



Remember that the sooner you place an order for your Christmas woods, the sooner you can place a free ad with a copy of your issue in Bunyan's Chips. Many members collect the Christmas wood issues. Please contact any of the listed wood printers to place an order or to request their brochure today.



*Merry
Christmas*
1998



Jerry Remick has issued 2 types of Christmas wood flats for 1998, each type is in two colors, with a printing of 50 for each color. Pictured above is the issue printed by Canada Wide Woods on maple flats, shows a Christmas tree on one side and Jerry's name and address (not pictured) on the other side. 50 flats have been printed in red and another 50 in blue. The name and address are in gold foil. The second pictured wood was printed by Norm Belsten, shows a winter scene. The reverse side (not shown) is printed in French. 50 of these flats were printed on white maple and 50 were printed on brown cherry. The set of four are available at \$2.00 postpaid from: Jerry Remick P.O.Box 9183, Ste.Foy, Quebec, Canada G1V 4B1. Jerry says that his Christmas flats with the reverse in French were the only ones out there for the past five years.

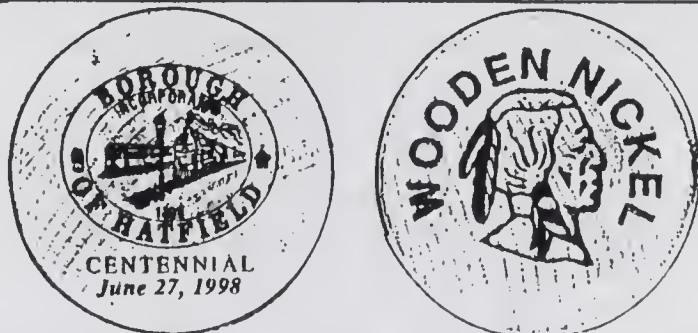
Thank you Jerry for providing this information to our members again this year!



York County, PA. Firefighters Convention West Manchester Township, PA.-Indian and buffalo designs, black ink on both sides- Asking 50 cents each plus an SASE. Send request to: Gary R. Beckstrom, 89 Lark Circle, York, PA. 17404

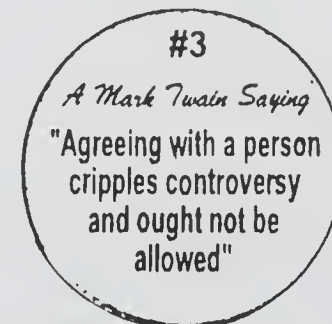
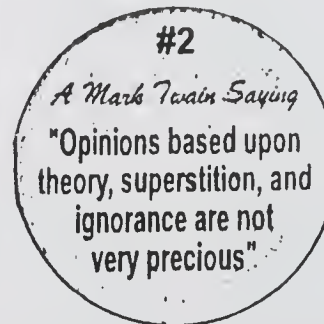
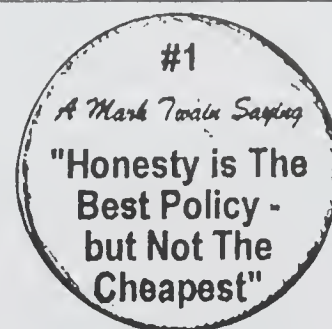


An official wood has been issued for the 125th Celebration held for Gallitzin, PA. Woods are 25 cents each with an SASE- Mail in your orders to: Planning Commission, 702 Jackson Street, Gallitzin, PA. 16641



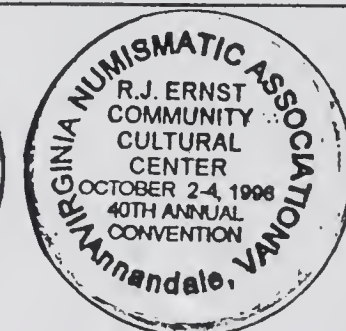
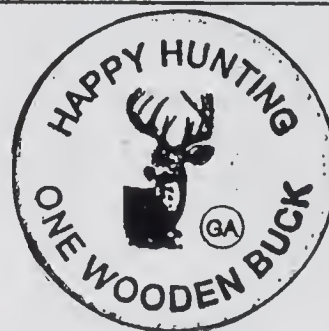
Centennial Celebration was held and an official wood was issued by Hatfield, PA. Gary Beckstrom reports receiving his for free. Try sending your request along with an SASE to: Borough of Hatfield, 401 S. Main Street, Hatfield, PA. 19440-0190

Thank you Gary for the wood ads!



3 piece Mark Twain wooden nickel set for sale Each piece captures the colorful use of words that Mark Twain was noted for. Woods can be ordered individually for 25 cents each, or in sets of 3 for 75 cents plus an SASE of 55 cents. If selection of a particular saying is desired, order by the number at the top of the wood 1-2-3.

(Editor's Note- If sales of these sets go well, there just might be more sets to follow, making a nice set of issues for your collection) Send your order to: J. Hurley Hagood, 5100 Wyaconda St., Hannibal, MO.



Virginia Numismatic Association has issued a wooden nickel to mark their 40th Annual Convention. Price per wood is 50 cents plus an SASE and all funds go to the VNA. Orders to be directed to: Ginnie S. Aldridge, 515 Pinehurst Ave., Colonial Heights, VA. 23834-3540

Thanks to all the members who sent in woods for this issue. If you don't see your ad in this month, it will make the next issue of Bunyan's Chips!!!!

WOODEN NICKEL HISTORICAL MUSEUM OPENS

Old Time Wooden Nickel Company out of San Antonio, Texas., held their ribbon cutting ceremonies on the 17th of October. Watch following issues of the newsletter for articles about this, and the effort some people are doing to put the word out about your hobby.

Kazuma Oyama reports that the Honolulu Coin Club did not issue a wooden nickel for their August coin show. There will be one issued by the Hawaii State Numismatic Association for their annual November show!!!!

FOSTORIA AREA HISTORICAL SOCIETY COMPLETES DISPLAY OF JOHN B. ROGERS 1954 FLAT ISSUES

George Gray is President of the Fostoria Area Historical Society as well as the editor of their news bulletin. The Sept. 14, 1998 issue reports that the display case that was donated by Norm Boughton as the Chairman of the Fostoria Committee back in 1996 is now complete. Effort on the part of Greg Brown has brought this worth while project to an end. The case houses all issues of the Fostoria 1954 Centennial flats that were produced by Rogers. The completed case is on display at the Historical Museum.

CHRISTMAS WOOD ORDERS

Jerome Remick in Canada has once again contacted the wood printers to confirm costs for Christmas wood orders. If you plan to have a Christmas wood issued this year, it is better to place them early to avoid the Christmas rush & over worked package handlers. See the insert in this months newsletter for what the wood printers have to offer this year.

(Thank you for this service Jerome)

Denver C. Howard is looking for Bicentennial wood issues from the following states and needs our help. Alabama, Alaska, Arkansas, Colorado, Dist. of Columbia, Florida, Idaho, Massachusetts, Minnesota, Montana, North Carolina, North Dakota, Oklahoma, Rhode Island, South Carolina, South Dakota, Tennessee, Virginia, Washington, and Wyoming. Send any information you have to: Denver C. Howard, 6440 Fairfield # 110, Fort Wayne, IN. 46807

REMEMBER- Ads are free to club members and can be run each month. Send in your short want ads, buy, sell & trade wood lists. Editor always looking for articles that are related to wooden money and the hobby.

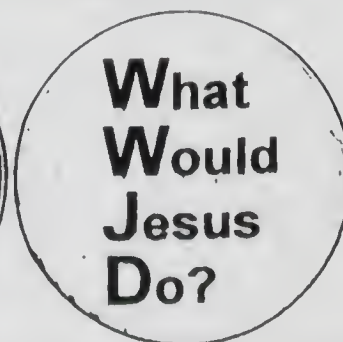
I collect woods that are from fairs, carnivals, rodeos, bowling lanes, museums, historical societies, and woods that have a sailing ship pictured on them. Send listing of what you have with price you want for the issues. Send lists to: Editor of Bunyan's Chips, 5295 Beechwood road, Ravenna, OH. 44266-9119

Champaign-Urbana Coin Club

Wooden nickel issued for their 1998 show. Club requesting 25 cents each or 5 for \$1.00. Send your order to: Champaign-Urbana Coin Club, 700 Dover Place, Champaign, IL. 61820 Club secretary has issues on hand for 84,85,86,87,89,90,91,92, and 1996. These are 25 cents each plus postage to cover the amount of woods you order.

**Agape Nickels Introduced**

The first of a planned series of wooden nickels with Christian messages have been produced by wooden money collector A. Craig Hardee. The series, dubbed "Agape Nickels" has the intent of "spreading God's love, one wooden nickel at a time" according to Hardee. "Agape" is the Greek word in the New Testament which refers to the love God has for mankind. The front of the wood has an "Agape Nickel" design which will remain consistent throughout the series. The reverse has the message "What Would Jesus Do?" Other nickels in the series will have different sayings. These woods can be purchased for 25 cents each, of 5 for \$1.00. with proper SASE. Inquires about larger quantity discounts are welcome. To order, and to inquire about reserving a subscription to the series, contact: Craig Hardee, P.O.Box 1780, Apex, NC. 27502



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LOT #	DESCRIPTION	LOT #	DESCRIPTION
1.	Enterprise, AL 1957 (75th) Set of 2	61.	Nevada, MO 1955 (C) Set of 4
✓ 2.	Florence, AZ 1966 (C) Set of 2	62.	Trenton, MO 1957 (C) Set of 3
3.	Helena, AR 1956 (C) Set of 3	63.	Creston, NE 1965 (75th) Set of 2
4.	Inglewood, CA 1958 (50th) Set of 3	✓ 64.	Grand Island, NE 1957 (C) Set of 3
5.	Oceanside, CA 1958 (75th) Set of 3	65.	Ithaca, NE 1969 (C) Set of 2
✓ 6.	Paramount, CA 1964 (Incorp.) Set of 2	✓ 66.	Laurel, NE 1968 (D) Set of 2
7.	Taft, CA 1965 (Oildorado) Set of 3	✓ 67.	Merrick County, NE 1958 (C) Set of 2
8.	Tujunga, CA 1954 (OTW) Set of 3	68.	Nemaha County, NE 1955 (C) Set of 3
✓ 9.	Turlock, CA 1958 (50th) Set of 3	69.	North Platte, NE 1957 (D) Set of 3
10.	Boulder, CO 1959 (C) Set of 3	70.	Ogallala, NE 1959 (D) Set of 2 (1nd. off center)
11.	Avon Park, FL 1964 (J) Set of 3	✓ 71.	Osmond, NE 1965 (D) Set of 3
12.	Henning, IL 1978 (C) Set of 2	72.	Shelton, NE 1967 (C) Set of 2
13.	Prophetstown, IL 1959 (C) Set of 2	73.	Shickley, NE (ND) (D) Set of 2
14.	Springfield, IL 1959 (S) Set of 3	74.	Valley, NE 1975 (B) Set of 2
15.	Ste. Marie, IL (ND) (S) Set of 2	75.	Wahoo, NE 1970 (C) Set of 2
16.	Carlisle, IN 1965 (S) Set of 2 (Dirty)	76.	Wausa, NE 1965 (D) Set of 5
17.	Union City, IN 1949 (C) Set of 5	77.	Weston, NE 1976 (C) Set of 2
18.	Breda, IA 1977 (C) Set of 2	78.	Barrington, NH 1972 (250th) Set of 2
19.	Cresco, IA 1966 (C) Set of 5	79.	Belmont, NH 1969 (C) Set of 5
20.	Gilbert, IA 1979 (C) Set of 2	80.	Colebrooke, NH 1970 (B) Set of 4
21.	George, IA 1984 (C) Set of 2	81.	Deerfield, NH 1966 (F) Set of 5 (Dirty)
22.	Havelock, IA 1981 (C) Set of 2	82.	Dunbarton, NH 1965 (B) Set of 2
23.	Mormontown, IA 1961 (C) Set of 4	83.	Harrisville, NH 1970 (C) Set of 4 (Dirty)
24.	Rockwell City, IA 1976 (C) Set of 3	84.	Lee, NH 1966 (B) Set of 5 (Dirty)
25.	Lindsborg, KA 1985 (Fest) Set of 2	85.	Madbury, NH 1958 (B) set of 2 (Dirty)
✓ 26.	Russell, KA 1961 (90th) Set of 5	86.	Raymond, NH 1964 (B) Set of 2
27.	Covington, KY 1965 (S) Set of 3	87.	Stratham, NH 1966 (250th) Set of 5 (Dirty)
28.	Hardin County, KY 1983 (S) Set of 3	88.	Surry, NH 1969 (B) Set of 3
29.	Scott county, KY 1974 (B) Set of 5	89.	Wentworth, NH 1966 (B) Set of 2
✓ 30.	Zachary, LA 1976 (B) Set of 2	90.	Hammonton, NJ 1966 (C) Set of 5 (Dirty)
31.	Berwick, ME 1963 (250th) Set of 2	91.	Albuquerque, NM 1956 (250th) Set of 11
32.	Bridgton, ME 1968 (B) Set of 5	92.	Tatum, NM 1959 (50th) Set of 2
33.	Franklin, ME 1975 (C) Set of 2	93.	Amherst, NY 1968 (S) Set of 5
34.	Houlton, ME 1957 (S) Set of 3	94.	Boonville, NY 1963 (WFD) Set of 4
35.	Island Falls, ME 1972 (C) Set of 2	95.	Canastota, NY 1960 (C) Set of 3
36.	Kingfield, ME 1966 (S) Set of 2	96.	Cohoes, NY 1976 (B) Set of 5
37.	Medway, ME 1975 (C) Set of 2	✓ 97.	Freedom, NY 1986 (175th) Set of 5
38.	Old Town, ME 1965 (125th) Set of 5	98.	Friendship, NY 1965 (S) Set of 2
39.	Togus, ME 1966 (C) Set of 5	99.	Glenville, NY 1970 (S) Set of 5
40.	Vinalhaven, ME 1964 (175th) Set of 2	100.	Knox, NY 1972 (S) Set of 5
41.	Cumberland, MD 1955 (B) Set of 3	101.	Mendon, NY 1963 (S) Set of 5
42.	Becket, MA 1965 (B) Set of 5	102.	Nyack, NY 1983 (C) Set of 3
43.	Lanesborough, MA 1965 (B) Set of 5	103.	Orangetown, NY 1986 (T) Set of 3
44.	Southbridge, MA 1966 (S) Set of 4	104.	Plattsburgh, NY 1964 (150th) Set of 5
45.	Algonac, MI 1967 (C) Set of 2	105.	Troy, NY 1966 (S) Set of 5
✓ 46.	Bloomington, MI 1970 (C) Set of 4	106.	Springville, NY 1962 (S) Set of 4
47.	Buchanan, MI 1958 (C) Set of 9	107.	Trumansburg, NY 1972 (C) Set of 2
48.	Carleton, MI 1972 (C) Set of 5	108.	Bellbrook, OH 1966 (S) Set of 4
49.	Cass City, MI 1965 (C) Set of 3	109.	Bluffton, OH 1961 (C) Set of 2
50.	Holly, MI 1965 (C) Set of 2	110.	Delaware, OH 1958 (S) Set of 2
51.	Ida, MI 1968 (C) Set of 4	111.	Dresden, OH 1967 (S) Set of 2
52.	Mecosta, MI 1979 (C) Set of 2	112.	Greenville, OH 1945 (S) Set of 5 - 2" Rd.
53.	Nashville, MI 1969 (C) Set of 2	113.	Jamestown, OH 1966 (S) Set of 3
54.	Plainwell, MI 1969 (C) Set of 2	114.	Lake County, OH 1940 (C) Set of 2
55.	Pontiac, MI 1961 (C) Set of 3		Cardboard- 25c size
56.	Portage, MI 1966 (Fest) Set of 4	115.	Lexington, OH 1964 (S) Set of 3
57.	Rochester, MI 1969 (C) Set of 2	116.	Maumee, OH 1963 (125th) Set of 5
58.	Brazito, MO 1976 (C) Set of 2	117.	Milford Center, OH (ND) (1966) Set of 4
59.	Macon, MO 1956 (C) Set of 4	118.	Norwalk, OH 1959 (S) Set of 3
60.	Marceline, MO 1963 (D) Set of 2	119.	Orrville, OH 1964 (C) Set of 2

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120.	Plymouth, OH 1965 (S) Set of 2	165.	Somerset, PA 1979 (175th) Set of 4
121.	Portsmouth, OH 1965 (S) Set of 4	166.	Stewartstown, PA 1976 (B) Set of 4
122.	Rossford, OH 1965 (25th) Set of 5	167.	Stroudsburg, PA 1965 (S) Set of 5
123.	Shiloh, OH 1963 (C) Set of 2	168.	Sumneytown, PA 1963 (B) Set of 4
124.	Uhrichsville, OH 1979 (Fest) Set of 2	169.	Tower City, PA 1968 (C) Set of 5
125.	Wadsworth, OH 1964 (S) Set of 2	170.	Wilmerding, PA 1965 (D) Set of 3
126.	Westerville, OH 1958 (C) Set of 2	171.	Windgap, PA 1993 (C) Set of 2
127.	Whitehouse, OH 1964 (C) Set of 2	172.	West Warwick, RI 1963 (50th) Set of 2
128.	Williamsburg, OH 1971 (175th) Set of 2	173.	Aberdeen, SD 1956 (75th) Set of 3
129.	North Bend, OR 1959 (C) Set of 2	174.	Mitchel, S.D 1956 (D) Set of 3
130.	Alburtis, PA 1963 (G) Set of 5	175.	Mexia, TX 1971 (C) Set of 3
131.	Allentown, PA 1962 (B) 6 pcs. W/O Off'l. member under date (½ a set of 11)	176.	Stockdale, TX (ND) (Jub.) 5¢ Grn.
132.	Carnegie, PA 1969 (D) Set of 3	177.	Tuleta, TX 1980 (75th) 5¢ Black
133.	Chambersburg, PA 1964 (B) Set of 2	178.	Wilbur, WA 1984 (C) N.V. Black
134.	Conneaut Lake, PA 1958 (C) Set of 3	179.	Keyser, W.VA 1976 (B) N.V. Black
135.	Elysburg, PA 1976 (Vets. H/C) Set of 3	180.	Chincoteague, VA 1983 (75th) N.V. Blue
136.	Ephrata, PA 1966 (D) Set of 5	181.	Stafford, VA 1964 (T) 5¢ Black
137.	Exeter Twp. PA 1967 (225th) Set of 5	182.	Bradford, VT 1965 (B) Set of 5
138.	Halifax, PA 1969 (175th) Set of 3	183.	St. Albans, VT 1963 (B) Set of 5
139.	Hellertown, PA 1972 (C) Set of 3	184.	Bremerton, WA 1933 (Old Ironside) 25¢ blue
140.	Irwin, PA 1964 (C) Set of 3	185.	Hillsboro, WA 1966 (Fair) 5¢ Black
141.	Jonestown, PA 1961 (B) Set of 6	186.	Longview, WA 1933 (C/C) 25¢ Black
142.	Kane, PA 1964 (C) Set of 5	187.	Longview, WA 1964 (D) Set of 2
143.	Kutztown, PA 1965 (S) Set of 5	188.	Loon Lake, WA 1991 (C) N.V. Red/Black
144.	Lehighton, PA 1966 (C) Set of 5	189.	Wenatchee, WA 1973 \$1.00 Green
145.	Ludonville, PA 1964 (S) Set of 2	190.	Tenino Tax Token, 1935 (Penny's Ggc.) 1/5¢ Grn.
146.	Macungie, PA 1957 (C) Set of 3	191.	Tenino Tax Token, 1935 (Jiffy Lunch) 1/5¢ Grn.
147.	Myerstown, PA 1968 (B) Set of 5	192.	Tenino Tax Token, 1935 (Thruston Co. Indep.) 1/5¢ Grn.
148.	Newport, PA 1990 (S) Set of 2	193.	Tenino Tax Token, 1935 (Thruston Co. Indep.) 1/5¢ Red
149.	Newville, PA 1976 (B) Set of 5	194.	Tenino Tax Token, 1935 (L.A. McLain)-sm. prt. 1/5¢ Red
150.	New Wilmington, PA 1963 (C) Set of 3	195.	Black River Falls, WI 1983 (C) 5¢ Black
151.	Northampton, PA 1976 (B) Set of 5	196.	Clear Lake, WI 1975 (C) 5¢ Black
152.	Northumberland, PA 1972 (B) Set of 5	197.	Deerfield, WI 1991 (C) 5¢ Black
153.	Olyphant, PA 1977 (C) Set of 5	198.	Black River Falls, WI 1976 (B) N.V. Red
154.	Pottstown, PA 1965 (S) Set of 3	199.	Eagle River, WI 1957 (C) 5¢ Black (Soiled)
155.	Richfield, PA 1978 (Fest) Set of 2	200.	Janesville, WI 1976 (B) N.V. Black
156.	Rimersburg, PA 1964 (Q) Set of 3	201.	Manawa, WI 1974 (C) 10¢ Black
157.	Roseto, PA 1962 (G) Set of 3	202.	Merrill, WI 1972 (125th) 5¢ Blue
158.	Scranton, PA 1966 (C) Set of 5	203.	Owen, WI 1975 (G) 5¢ Black
159.	Seven Valleys, PA 1967 (D) Set of 5	204.	Princeton, WI 1976 (B) 5¢ Blue/Red
160.	Shenandoah, PA 1966 (C) Set of 5	205.	Waukesha, WI 1959 (125th) (C/C) 5¢ Black
161.	Shoemakersville, PA 1965 (B) Set of 2	206.	Wood County, WI 1956 (C) Set of 2
162.	Shrewsbury, PA 1984 "S" Series Only Set of 4	207.	Cheyenne, WY 1970 (Hell-on-Wheels) 2" Rd.
163.	Sigel, PA 1965 (C) Set of 5	208.	Cheyenne, WY 1972 (Tent City) 2" Rd.
164.	Six Mile Run, PA 1965 (C) Set of 2		

PAID AD

Donations and consignment wood for club mail bid

If you have woods you wish to dispose of, it can be sent to: Clinton B. List, 55 Wood Song Drive, Eastham, MA. 02642. Please include your name, address, and whether your wood is being donated to the club or as a consignment. Wood sent for consignment gives a return of 75% on the lots that sell. 20% goes to the club & 5% covers Clintons cost to run the mail bid program for us. Please note that the address has been changed for Clinton. He has purchased a new home and is in the process of moving at this time. Wayne & Virginia Dennis were kind enough to put a mail bid together for the club while Clinton gets settled in. Editor

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WOODEN NICKEL MUSEUM DEBUTING

The traincar-size vault containing Herb Hornung's 1.5 million wooden nickels doesn't exactly require armed guards. Termite protection, yes. Armed guards, no. That's because Herbs coinage is of the wooden variety. And, although some rare nickels can bring \$5 to \$10 on the collecting market- and one in particular, up to \$400- there's not a heck of a lot of money in wooden nickels, Hornung says. "For the most part, I do this for fun," says Hornung, proprietor of the Old Time Wooden Nickel Company, which produces wooden nickels for the Alamo, among other clients. Hornung also is chief curator of what he claims is the world's first Wooden Nickel Historical Museum. "I don't ever expect to get rich collecting wooden nickels. I am a computer consultant by trade," Hornung said. His museum and "mint," located at 345 Austin Road near Fort Sam Houston, opens today with a ribbon-cutting at noon followed by tours of the museum until 5 p.m. Visitors can make their own wooden nickels and meet Wayne Dennis, author of "The Guidebook of Wooden Money," which Herb calls "the bible of wooden coin collecting." Dennis and his wife Virginia are driving in from Nevada for the museum opening, says an excited Hornung. The wooden nickel is a Depression-era relic that began as actual currency when the banks failed. The first wooden nickel was issued in 1931 when the Citizen's Bank of Tenino, Wash. failed, creating mercantile chaos. To soothe the situation, the Chamber of Commerce issued wooden scrip that people used like money. Today, a Tenino nickel is worth up to \$400 in hard cash. One of those very same wooden nickels is Hornung's museum's prized centerpiece. "That's probably the Mona Lisa of the museum," Hornung says. The museum actually is a cornered-off area of the Old Time Wooden Nickel, a factory that has been making wooden nickels and selling them- to Boy Scout troops, restaurants, veteran groups and collectors-for fifty years. Wooden nickels have become part of America over the years, good for a ride at the county fair or for a free drink at the soda fountain. During the '40's and '50's, wooden nickels were big commerce at state centennial celebrations, which sometimes would last for months. As Hornung tells it, wooden nickels were used as currency at the centennial fairs - and were accepted as good cash money in the surrounding towns and small businesses as well. Two or three weeks before the end of the fair, however, with worthlessness looming, people "would begin to worry about getting stuck with them." Hence the phrase: Don't take any wooden nickels. Even today, wooden nickels have their uses. As coupons, for example, one will get you a beer on a brewery tour, or a short stack at the local pancake house. In fact, one of the biggest displays in the nickel museum is a shrine to Domino's Pizza, which periodically gives away nickels good for pizza upgrades. "Collecting wooden nickels is just an extension of coin collecting," Hornung said. "I think it's more exciting. There's only a certain amount of coins. There are millions of different types of wooden nickels, and you can specialize in them. Tracking them down is the fun part." The Dennises, for example, specialized in collecting wooden nickels from the now defunct Sambo's Restaurant. Several years ago, the couple spent nearly a year driving around the country visiting every Sambo's they could find. Years later-you guessed it the complete Sambo's Restaurant Collection is on display here in San Antonio. Herb has a web site that can be reached at www.wooden-nickel.net.



FROM THE EDITOR'S DESK

Were going into that part of the year where it seems like one holiday just ends and we have to start getting ready for the next one. Thanksgiving has always been one that I look forward to each year, and I don't mind saying it is because of all the food items that are on hand to eat leading up to turkey day! I hope everyone has a nice one filled with family & friends. Big thank you to Wayne & Virginia Dennis for all the material that they have supplied to Bunyan's Chips these past few months. Virginia sent me the 1998 club membership roster enclosed in your Nov. issue. This is yet another service that she has taken upon herself to provide to the club. Thanks again Virginia for the many extras you do for our club and it's membership! Don't forget to send in your Christmas wood issues to be placed in our newsletter. Here is wishing all of you a safe and happy Thanksgiving holiday.

IOWMC TREASURER'S REPORT AS OF SEPT. 30, 1998

CHECKING ACCOUNT: Balance carried forward: \$1320.82

INCOME:

Mail Bid (List)	\$275.35	
Auction (Raffle)	28.10	
Donation (Sutera)	<u>5.66</u>	
		\$309.11

EXPENSES:

Editor	\$300.00	
1998 Awards/Postage	<u>39.00</u>	
		\$339.00
	Net Loss:	\$ 29.89
	Bal. Checking Act.:	\$1290.93

SAVINGS ACCOUNT: Balance carried forward: \$2365.08
Interest (August) 4.08
Balance Savings Account: \$2369.16

LIFE MEMBERSHIP ACCOUNT: \$2462.72

Virginia H. Dennis
IOWMC Treasurer

NOTE: The October treasury report will not be available in next month Bunyan's Chips as I will be out of town for six weeks or so.



The Charleston Coin Club has issued a set of two wooden nickels for their coin show. The set is available for 50 cents per set plus an SASE. Some sets issued in prior years are still available, request a list if you are interested. Send your orders & your request on prior wood sets to: Donald K. Clifford, P.O.Box 65, St. Albans, WV. 25177

Looking To Buy

Wish to purchase items that are in reference to Hawaii. Pearl Harbor and Captain Cook items wanted. Send list of what you have for sale with prices you are asking. Mail your lists to: Peter W. Bernard, P.O.Box 10326, Beverly Hills, CA. 90213-3326

THANK YOU NOTES RECEIVED

Thank You notes were received from Mary Baranovich, Wally Krocsko, Irene Lewis, Ella Cochran, Reva Kline and Phil Chinitz for the door prizes they won in the 1998 Raffle/Benefit Drawing. They were pleasantly surprised and were very appreciative with their winnings. They were pleased and wanted the donors to know this; and also in the promptness of receiving their prizes.

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1.	Bayou La Batre, AL 1986 (B) NV Black	61.	Arlington, NE 1969 (C) 5¢ Black
2.	Cordova, AK 1977 (Fest) 25¢ Red	62.	Beatrice, NE 1962 (C) 5¢ Green
3.	Cave Creek, AZ 1970 (C) 5¢ Black	63.	Churchill County, NV 1964 (C) 5¢ Black
4.	Gila, AZ 1956 (Jub) 5¢ Red	64.	No. Las Vegas, NV ND (25th) 5¢ Black
5.	Angels Camp, CA ND (Jub) NV Green	65.	Bath, NH ND (B) 5¢ Red
6.	Brawley, CA 1970 (C/C) NV Blue	66.	Brookline, NH 1969 (B) 5¢ Black
7.	Coalinga, CA 1981 (D) 2" Round NV Black	67.	Atlantic City, NJ 1970 (C) NV Black (soiled)
8.	Colton, CA 1962 (D) 5¢ Black	68.	Bellmawr, NJ 1976 (G & B) 5¢ Blue
9.	Covina, CA 1986 (C) NV Green	69.	Alamogordo, NM 1958 (60th) 20¢ Black
10.	Delano, CA 1973 (C) 5¢ Blue	70.	Artesia, NM 1955 (G) 5¢ Purple
11.	Morgan County, CO 1989 (C) 5¢ Brown	71.	Ballston, NY 1976 (B) NV Blue
12.	Grand Lake, CO 1976 (C) 5¢ Black	72.	Buffalo, NY 1982 (S) 5¢ Blue
13.	Cheshire, CT 1961 (Fair) 5¢ Red	73.	Kinston, NC 1962 (B) 5¢ Red
14.	East Hampton, CT 1976 (B) 5¢ Black	74.	Forman, ND 1984 (B) 5¢ Red
15.	Hudson, FL 1978 (C) 5¢ Black	75.	Noonan, ND 1989 (C) \$1.00 Buck
16.	Wildwood, FL 1977 (C) 5¢ Black	76.	Jamestown, ND 1983 (C) 5¢ Black
17.	Quitman County, GA 1958 (C) 5¢ Black	77.	Alliance, OH 1979 (C) 5¢ Black (soiled)
18.	Ft. Oglethorpe, GA 1963 (C) 5¢ Black	78.	Apple Creek, OH 1957 (H/C) 5¢ Black
19.	Buhl, ID 1965 (SBD) 5¢ Brown	79.	Bartlesville, OK 1997 (C) 5¢ Black
20.	Beecher, IL 1970 (C) 5¢ Black	80.	Maud, OK 1996 (C) 5¢ Black
21.	Akron, IN 1986 (S) 5¢ Black	81.	Hood River, OR 1959 (C) 50¢ In Trade - Red
22.	Bloomfield, IN 1976 (B) 5¢ Black	82.	Klamath Falls, OR 1933 (Amer. Leg.) 25¢ Blue
23.	Adel, IA ND (Fair) 5¢ Red	83.	Allport, PA 1990 (150th) 5¢ Black
24.	Adaza, IA 1981 (C) 5¢ Black	84.	Apollo, PA 1991 (C) NV Blue
25.	Allerton, IA 1974 (C) 5¢ Black	85.	Arzenville, PA 1964 (125th) 5¢ Black
26.	Alta, IA 1978 (C) 5¢ Black	86.	Beaver, PA 1978 (G) 5¢ Black
27.	Anamosa, IA 1988 (S) 5¢ Black	87.	Blairsville, PA 1975 (G) 5¢ Black
28.	Aspinwall, IA 1982 (C) 5¢ Blue	88.	Blakely, PA 1967 (C) NV Black
29.	Athelstan, IA 1987 (C) 5¢ Black	89.	Burnham, PA 1961 (G) 5¢ Black
30.	Auburn, IA 1987 (C) NV Black	90.	Caln Twp., PA 1968 (C) 5¢ Black
31.	Ayrshire, IA 1982 (C) 5¢ Black	91.	Centralia, PA 1966 (C) 5¢ Black
32.	Bagley, IA 1982 (C) 5¢ Blue	92.	Charleroi, PA 1965 (D) 5¢ Red
33.	Bancroft, IA 1981 (C) 5¢ Black	93.	Clarion, PA 1978 (25th) 5¢ Green
34.	Baxter, IA 1970 (C) 5¢ Blue	94.	Columbia, PA 1963 (J.C.'s) (C) 5¢ Blue
35.	Blanchard, IA 1980 (C) 5¢ Black	95.	Columbia, PA 1988 (B) NV Black
36.	Boone, IA 1965 (C) 5¢ Black	96.	Dauphin County, PA 1985 (B) 5¢ Black
37.	Blue Grass, IA 1976 (B) NV Blue	97.	Dillsburg, PA 1983 (S) 5¢ Purple
38.	Bondurant, IA 1984 (C) 5¢ Black	98.	Duncannon, PA 1965 (C) 5¢ Red/Blue
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40.	Independence, KS 1961 (Neewollaw) 5¢ Green	100.	East McKeesport, PA 1970 (D) 5¢ Black
41.	Bargourville, KY 1959 (Fest) 5¢ Black	101.	Edwardsville, PA 1984 (C) 5¢ Black
42.	Barbourville, KY 1961 (Fest) 5¢ Black	102.	Eldred, PA 1980 (C) 5¢ Black
43.	Alexander, LA 1957 (S) 5¢ Blue	103.	Greenville, SC 1940 Round (Fest)-Cotton - 5¢ Blk/White
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51.	Adrain, MI 1989 (S)(Fair) NV Black	111.	Bremerton, WA 1933 (Round)(Old Ironside) 25¢ Blue
52.	Alma, MI 1956 (C) 5¢ Black	112.	Hillsboro, WA 1966 (Fair) 5¢ Black
53.	Clarkfield, MN 1982 (C) NV Black	113.	Lewisburg, WVa 1971 (Fair) 25¢ Red
54.	Mt. Iron, MN 1990 (C) 5¢ Black	114.	Fayetteville, WVa 1977 5¢ Black
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57.	Appleton City, MO 1969 (Fair) 5¢ Black	117.	Cheyenne, WY 1967 (Hell on Wheels) (C) 2" Rd. \$1.00 Black
58.	Appleton City, MO 1970 (C) 5¢ Black	118.	Cheyenne, WY 1972 (Tent City)(J.C.'s) 2" Rd. \$1.00 Black
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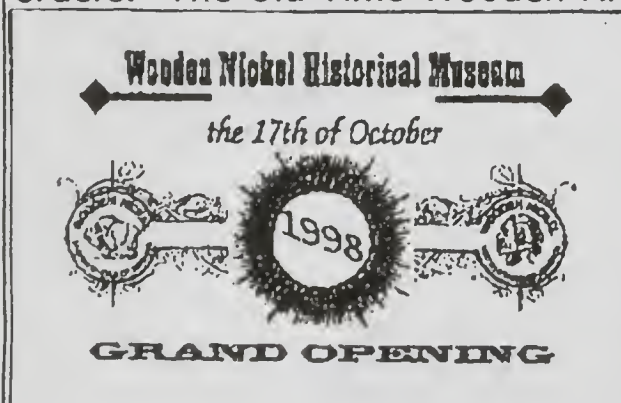
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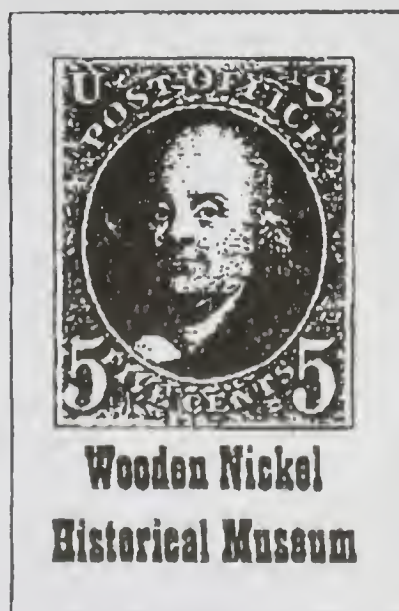
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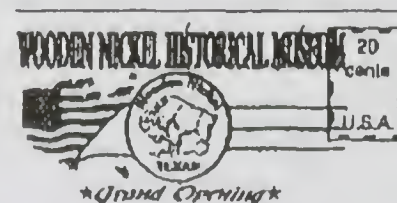
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Besse, Lester	2363 No. Recker Road	Mesa, AZ	85205-3508	R 807
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Brockman, Scott J.	1600 Misty Pines Circle, P302	Naples, FL	34105	R2201
Browe, Tom	2748 Marion Center Road	Charlevoix, MI	49720-9573	R2046
Brown, Gregory	1366 Laurel Drive	Fostoria, OH	44830	R2172
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Claypool, Margaret G.	1221 E. California Road #215	Fort Wayne, IN	46825-6108	R1863

Clements, Marlene	120 Brinker	Bellevue, OH	44811	R2151
Clifford, Donald	P. O. Box 65	St. Albans, WV	25177-0065	R1619
Cochrane, Ella	38822 Whisperwood Drive	Zephyrhills, FL	33540-3059	LM 21
Collins, Gene R.	118 West 5th Street	O'Fallon, IL	62269-2005	LM 29
Connor, Frank	869 Russell Ridge Road	Crossville, TN	38555	R2221
Conroy, Gerald	830 North Hushaw Avenue	Chillicothe, IL	61523-1435	R2175
Cook, David	247 Mallard Drive	Coldwater, MI	49036-9736	R1907
Corey, Steve	15859 Jean Drive	Mojave, CA	93501-1313	R1942
Cover, Frank G.	P.O. Box 249 (96 Main St.)	Dunstable, MA	01827	R2219
Crawford, LCDR M.	3111 Rte. 38, #11, Suite 306	Mount Laurel, NJ	08054	CLM247
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Cushing, Allen J.	15822 - 96th Avenue, Court E	Puyallup, WA	98373	J2212
Cushing, Delmer L.	P.O. Box 88984	Seattle, WA	98138-2984	R1595
Daisley, Lt. Col., R.	117 Bryant Avenue	Langley AFB, VA	23665-1918	LM 45
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Dant, Deiter	138 Fairview Drive	Spring Valley, NY	10977-5853	R2086
Davis, Frank	41 Lakeshore Road	Natick, MA	01760-2041	R1352
Davis, Harry W.	2900 Georgia Street	Vallejo, CA	94591-6602	R2099
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Deishler, Beth	% Coin World, 911 Vandermark	Sidney, OH	45365-8959	H 272
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Donnell, Gordon R.	1960 San Antonio	Berkeley, CA	94707-1620	LM 39
Duncan, William	731 Potter Avenue	Bessemer, AL	35020	R2232
Ehlinger, Joseph A.	591 Gen. Muhlenberg Road	King of Prussia, PA	19406-1627	R1769
Farnam, Marge	20121 First Avenue South	Seattle, WA	98198-2501	R1543
Feist, Bill	P.O. Box 2811	Santa Rosa, CA	95405-0811	R1043
Ferrell, Wayne	404 Park Avenue	Cadiz, OH	43907-1147	R2214
Fiedler, Bernice	1503 No. 58th Street	Omaha, NE	68104-4819	R 404
Forsyth, William H.	P.O. Box 28	Nemacolin, PA	15351-0028	CLM232
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Gabard, Cliff	1241 No. East Street, #39	Anaheim, CA	92805	R1909
Garland, Paul E.	1919 Rosemont Circle	Louisville, TN	37777-4825	R2094
Gates, Fred	Rt. 1, Box 142	Scio, NY	14880	R1941
Germeo, Ellen M.	3576 Hulberton Road	Holley, NY	14470-9318	R2025
Glise, Gary	P. O. Box 11186	Rochester, NY	14611-1186	R1946
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Henke, Jan D.	1806 San Jose Place	Fairfield, CA	94533-0467	R1960
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Masters, John F.	2321 W. 29th Street	Wichita, KS	67217-1903	R2220
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McCutchan, Richard D.	1178 No. Del Sol Lane	Diamond Bar, CA	91765-1111	R1965
McKibben, Scott	15395 South State Rte. 66	Defiance, OH	43512-6803	LM 15
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Nickels, Clarence	3312 Rte. 356	Leechburg, PA	15656-7522	R1991
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Nystrom, Allen	8508 Mary Avenue NW #305	Seattle, WA	98177	R 585
O'Dell, Tom	278 Tonieville Road	Hodgenville, KY	42748-1840	R2191
Oehlke, Elmer	209 Hanover Street, (P.O. Box 280)	Weyauwega, WI	54983-0280	R 881
Old Time Wooden Nickle Co.	P.O. Box 18362	San Antonio, TX	78218-0362	R2097
Otterson, Leonard D.	1318 So. Ninth Avenue	Fargo, ND	58103-2506	R1914
Oyama, Kazuma	38 Lauone Loop	Wahiawa, HI	96786-1411	R1020
Pallen, Leonard	4340 So. 72nd Street	Greenfield, WI	53220-3434	R2194
Paulsen, Kenneth D.	P.O. Box 2325	Overland, MO	63114-0325	R1023
Penn-Ohio W.M.T.	3924 Warren Sharon Road	Vienna, OH	44473-9510	CL1580
Philhower, Esther	415 Byers Road, Ste. 300	Miamisburg, OH	45342-3684	R2122
Phillips, Bart	P.O. Box 4501	Pocatello, ID	83205-4501	LM 35
Pike, Brooke	1100 E. Church St., Apt. 304	Pierre, SD	57501	A2152
Pike, William	1100 E. Church St., Apt. 304	Pierre, SD	57501	R1666
Prosack, Lou Ann	8336 Darkwood Court	Jessup, MD	20794-3243	R1912
Pruitt, Norman F.	1926 Venetian Drive	Stockton, CA	95207-5430	R2147

Quinn, Robbin A.	5295 Beechwood Road	Ravenna, OH	44266-9119	R1712
Quinn, Robert Jeff	15107 Sweetgum Circle	Wichita, KS	67230-7600	R2148
Quinn, Shelley L.	5295 Beechwood Road	Ravenna, OH	44266-9119	R2118
Ratliff, Steve	3450 Riverview Drive	Pace, FL	32571-8602	R2116
Reist, Robert W.	2184 So. Crapo Road	Ithica, MI	48847-9563	R1144
Rhodes, Harry W.	Rte. 4, Box 120	Tyrone, PA	16686-8824	R 265
Richmond, David	408 No. Stevens Street	Rhinerlander, WI	54501	R2196
Richter, Wilmer C.	425 Marion Street	Jersey Shores, PA	17740-1323	R1042
Rimick, Jerome H.	Box 9183	STE-FOY, PQ, Canada	G1V - 4B1	R1476
Robinson, Jr., Gresham	2720 Bridges Street, Apt. 108B	Morehead City, NC	28557	R2211
Rodgers, Glen	165 Phillips Drive	New Maryland, NB, Canada	E3C - 1E8	R1682
Sage, Stuart A.	113 Emerald Lane	Cortland, OH	44410-1383	R2189
Salley, Leslie	108 Birch Avenue	Castle Rock, CO	80104-2226	R1535
Sanderson, Cecil	Box 332	Ft. Bridger, WY	82933-1097	R1288
Sandoval, Christine	725 Priddy Drive	Dixon, CA	95620-3141	R2089
Schaetzel, Jr., Eugene	P.O. Box 20174	Denver, CO	80220-0174	R1604
Schartz, Bonnie	1724 Ninth Street	Great Bend, KS	67530-5116	R1999
Schingoethe, Herb	156 So. Western Avenue	Aurora, IL	60506-4618	R 891
Schubert, Alfred	1931 E. Prospect #509	Ashtabula, OH	44004-5336	R2075
Schupback, Melvin	P. O. Box 409	Fenton, MI	48430-0409	R2174
Schwartz, Steve	P.O. Box 141188	Columbus, OH	43214-1188	R2226
Schweinfurth, George	327 Eleanor Road	Forked River, N.J.	08731-2628	R1764
Scott, Jacob	P.O. Box 785	Tenino, WA	98589-0785	R1653
Scott, Mayme	413 Delaware Avenue	Elkton, MD	21921-6004	R1131
Scott, Walter	413 Delaware Avenue	Elkton, MD.	21921-6004	HLM28
Shanklin, Charles	1201 Third Avenue, Apt. 4	Huntington, WV	25701-1393	LM 37
Shellaby, Kenneth	1404 Hwy. 35 South	Rockport, TX	78382-3918	R2108
Shorter, Mark A	P.O. Box 3024	Kokomo, IN	46904	R1786
Silliman, James	7456 State Rte. 54	Bath, NY	14810-9533	R2007
Skomrock, Andy	1162 Geneva Road	Beavercreek, OH	45434	J2234
Sloan, Arthur M.	154 Griswoldville Avenue	Newington, CT	06111-4625	R2001
Smawley, June R.	RD. #1, Box 79	New Alexandria, PA	15670-9215	R1705
Smith, Elbert	5241 Marview Drive	La Palma, CA	90623	R2233
Snell, John A.	1618 - 13th Street SE	Jamestown, ND	58401-5941	R1821
Snider, Charles W.	1127 Oneida Avenue	Louisville, KY	40214-4132	R1815
Snook, Joe L.	8540 No. Allegheny	Portland, OR	97203-3105	R1897
Southport Public Library	2630 E Stop 11 Road	Indianapolis, IN	46227	E 006
Spillers, George E.	166 Walker Way	Vista, CA	92083	R2048
Stankiewicz, Rita	58 Shanley Street	Cheektowaga, NY	14206-3326	R1574
Starcher, Cecil	P. O. Box 555	Pinch, WV	25156-0555	R2133
Stone, Brian	Rte. 1, P.O. Box 1390	Hazelhurst, GA	31539-1390	LM 40
Streeter, Donna	900 Stanton	Bay City, MI	48708-8582	HLM5
Sutera, Frank W.	5 Spencer Path	St. Peters, MO	63376-2559	R2051
Swearngen, Carroll	315 So. Oak Street	Monroe City, MO	63456-1867	CLM25
Talbert, W. Roy	27143 Canton Heights Road	Albemarle, NC	28001-9381	R1685
TAMS Library	P.O. Box 1270	Waitsfield, VT	05673	E0001
Tate, Richard	108 No. Wycoff	Bremerton, WA	98312	R1657
Taylor, Bobby G.	118 E. Mulberry Street	Bryan, OH	43506-1326	R2002
Taylor, Donald	41 Zoar Avenue	Dedham, MA	02026	R2197
Thibodeau, Donald	3102 So. 32nd Avenue	Omaha, NE	68105-3636	R 320
Thom, Brian	12153 Brandywine Drive	Brighton, MI	48116	R2228
Thomas, Floyd L.	6505 Mullen Road	Shawnee, KS	66216-2142	LM 46
Thurston Co. Hist. Society	P.O. Box 339	Tenino, WA	98589-0339	E0000
Tiernan, Paul	91 Delo Drive	Wauconda, IL	60084	R1182
Tippy, R. R. "Tip"	813 Cottonwood Lane	Carterville, IL	62918	R2195

Trace, Barbara	10045 Royal Oak Road	Sun City West, AZ	85375	HLM9
Tresnak, Tom	15327 Farnsworth Street	San Leandro, CA	94579-2040	R 786
Tung, Lee Joe	2632 Clement Street	San Francisco, CA	94121-1820	R2227
Turnes, Ernie	316 Forest Valley Drive	Forest Hill, MD	21050-2828	R2180
Turrini, Michael S.	205 Alvarado Avenue	Vallejo, CA	94589-3337	LM 38
Uline, James B.	1981 Hoch Road	Prospect, OH	43342-9779	R1777
Vale, Michael	873 Nevin Street	Akron, OH	44310-4025	R2182
Van Trump, Jr., George	P.O. Box 260170	Lakewood, CO	80226-0170	R1212
Vatter, William K.	1811 Biscayne Drive	Springfield, OH	45503	R2167
Vesh, Lou	General Delivery	West Guilford, Ontario, Canada	K0M - 2S0	R1590
Vondrasek, Donald	1342 Cook Road	Owosso, MI	48867-8926	R 598
Vrbancic, John P.	722 Coolidge Avenue	Kalamazoo, MI	49006-2935	R1917
Wade, Raymond	5th Street, Box 211	Lake View, IA	51450	R1332
Wages, Erica	3361 Cottonwood Lane	Snellville, GA	30078	J2225
Wages, Jeremy	3361 Cottonwood Lane	Snellville, GA	30078	J2224
Walker, Evelyn	3937 Jack Pine Lane	Port Huron, MI	48060-1579	R1755
Warner, Duane	420 Palomino Lane	League City, TX	77573-1704	R2081
Warnstedt, Charles	339 Ashford Circle - Unit 1	Bartlett, IL	60103-7478	R1601
Weeks, James R.	5170 - 30 Grand Avenue	Florence, OR	97439-8534	R1931
West, Curtis	2 East Church Street	Spring Valley, NY	10977	R2215
Wehling, Emil J.	39 - 17 Sycamore Drive	Fair Lawn, NJ	07410-5418	R1874
Weider, Gary	14750 N.E. 250th Avenue	Salt Springs, FL	32829	R2193
Weider, Joan	14750 N.E. 250th Avenue	Salt Springs, FL	32829	A2222
Wersan, Fred	61 Southfield Circle	Concord, MA	01742-3447	R 416
Werst, Bill	12 Orient Court	Ridge, NY	11961-1632	R1994
West, John R.	17672 Murray Road	Mt. Vernon, OH	43050-9550	R2092
Whalen, Patrick L.	8156 Wheeler Street (P.O. Box 233)	Masury, OH	44438-9787	R2024
Wheeler, Parcel	RD #1, Box 495	Canadensis, PA	18325-9998	R1969
Whisler, Glendon	100 Chancellors Ridge Ct.	Cary, NC	27513	R 949
White, Larry	P.O. Box 85	Liberty Center, OH	43532-0085	R1204
White, Robert	3420 S.W. 7th Avenue	Cape Coral, FL	33914	R2213
White, Patrick	34 Glen Oaks Cove	Winnipeg, Manitoba, Canada	R3R-3L4	R1782
Wilbur, Jane	222 Levenseller Road	Holden, ME	04429	R1930
Willard Coin Exchange	1238 Park Avenue West	Mansfield, OH	44906	R2149
Wilkerson, Clarence	40416 Via Estrada	Murrieta, CA	92562-3529	R1542
Wilkerson, John	611 Lancaster Dr. NE (PO Box 12824)	Salem, OR	97309-0824	R2012
Willadsen, Ronald	P.O. Box 307	Cochrane, WI	54622-0307	CLM191
Wilson, John W.	P.O. Box 27185	Milwaukee, WI	53227-0185	R2049
Wiltberger, Richard	619 Leonard Avenue	DeKalb, IL	60115-4157	R1070
Winget, Ernestine	5100 Pine Drive	Raleigh, NC	27606-9857	R1337
Winward, Samantha A.	102 Buttonwood Road	Elkton, MD	21921-0102	R1373
Wisconsin State Historial Society	816 State Street	Madison, WI	53706-1482	E002
Wolf, Michael	P.O. Box 233	Dewey, AZ	86327	R2115
Wolfram, Sigmund	560 Tad Avenue S.W.	Warren, Ohio	44485	R2105
Wolverton, E. Ted	P.O. Box 501	Stroudsburg, PA	18360-0501	R 469
Wolverton, Pamela S.	3609 Canterbury Road	Harrisburg, PA	17109-1210	LM 33
Wolverton, Patricia	P. O. Box 399	New Kingstown, PA	17072-0300	LM 32
Wolverton, Robert	Box 46	West Ononta, NY	13861-0046	LM 34
Wonson, Richard	203 Birch Street	Milton, FL	32570	R2217
Wright, Jr., Earl J.	P. O. Box 36009	Hoover, AL	35236	R2170
Zaika, Al	P.O. Box 65	Bellmawr, NJ	08099-0065	CLM24
Zara, Jerry	37 Everest Dr., No.	Brick, NJ	08724-4912	R1438

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FROM THE SECRETARY: As you know, dues time is upon us again. Our goal this year is to get EVERYONE to pay by January 31, 1999. This makes my job and the treasurers job much easier. Last year we had some people who didn't pay until June. PLEASE help us to get this money in on time. Also this year I will be sending the membership cards back to you in your newsletters. This will save the club over \$100.00 in postage alone. Since I'm a close personal friend of the editor, this shouldn't be a problem. DUES ARE: Reg - \$5.00 Juniors and Assoc. - \$2.00.

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### President's Say

Due to a death in the family, Del Cushing was not able to submit a President's message for the Nov. newsletter prior to going to the printer. Del will contact us in the December issue-----Editor-----



Editor in need of material for the newsletter folks  
Send in any articles that are related to the hobby.  
Portraits are needed for the front cover of Chips.  
Mail your buy-sell-trade ads into the editor to be placed in up to three issues of the newsletter.  
This is a free service when you are a paid member in the club! I have to walk 132 feet to the mail box in the dead of winter so let's make it worth my trip please!

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If you have a project that you would like to see the club work on, contact one of the officers with your idea. With winter setting in, many of us will find the time to work on our indoor hobbies and improve our collections.

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### NEW OFFICERS FOR I.O.W.M.C.

President- Delmer L. Cushing P.O. Box 88984, Seattle, WA. 98138-2984  
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2nd Vice.- Wayne Dennis 1852 Golden Shadow Dr. Henderson, NV. 89015-8620  
Treasurer- Virginia Dennis ( Same address as above )  
Secretary- Shelley L. Quinn 5295 Beechwood Rd. Ravenna, OH. 44266-9119  
Board of Gov.- Floyd Thomas 6505 Mullen Rd.. Shawnee. KS. 66216-2142  
Ken Paulsen P.O. Box 2325, Overland, MO. 63114-0325  
Ted Wolverton P.O. Box 501, Stroudsburg, PA. 18360-0501



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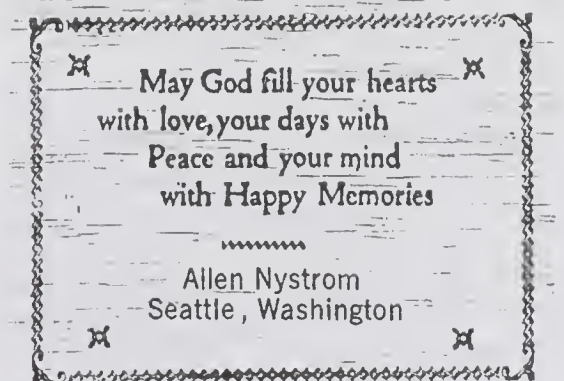
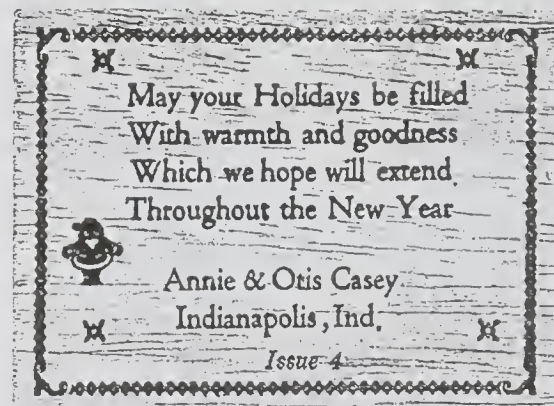
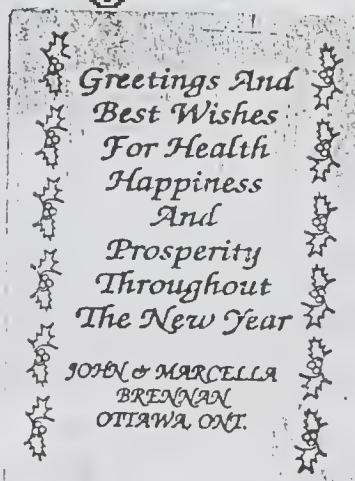


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## Merry Christmas





## From The Editor's Desk

Sorry the newsletter is running a bit late getting to the membership this month. Picked a fine time to replace the wood molding in my living room & do some basic repairs with the holiday just around the corner. Not very good timing on my part! I wish to thank all the members that sent in their Christmas wood issues in time for the December issue of chips. Woods received past the printing will be in the next issue for sure. Shelley & I wish you all a very merry Christmas and a great new year.



### Treasurers Report For Oct. & Nov. 1998

#### IOWMC TREASURER'S REPORT AS OF OCTOBER 31, 1998

CHECKING ACCOUNT: Balance carried forward: \$1290.93

INCOME: NONE

#### EXPENSES:

|                       |                 |
|-----------------------|-----------------|
| Editor                | \$300.00        |
| Life Membership Cards | 72.00           |
|                       | <u>\$372.00</u> |

|                  |           |
|------------------|-----------|
| Net Loss:        | \$ 372.00 |
| Bal. Chk. Acct.: | \$ 918.93 |

|                                                  |                  |
|--------------------------------------------------|------------------|
| <u>SAVINGS ACCOUNT:</u> Balance carried forward: | \$2369.16        |
| Interest (Sept.)                                 | 3.89             |
| Balance Savings Account:                         | <u>\$2373.05</u> |

LIFE MEMBERSHIP ACCOUNT: \$2462.72

Virginia H. Dennis  
IOWMC Treasurer

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#### IOWMC TREASURER'S REPORT AS OF NOV. 30, 1998

SAVINGS ACCOUNT: Balance carried forward: \$ 918.93

No income or expenses: Balance remains at \$ 918.93

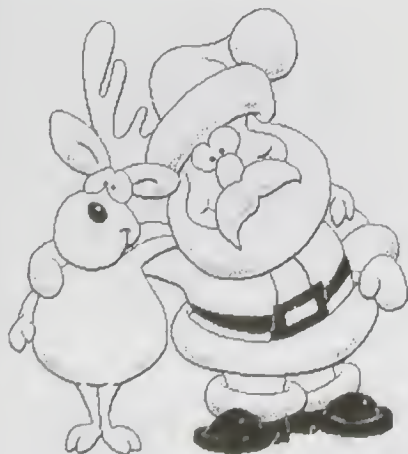
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| <u>SAVINGS ACCOUNT:</u> Balance carried forward: | \$2373.05        |
| Interest (October)                               | 3.90             |
| Balance Savings Account:                         | <u>\$2376.95</u> |

LIFE MEMBERSHIP ACCOUNT: \$2462.72

Virginia H. Dennis  
IOWMC Treasurer



Charleston Coin Club has issued their 1998 wooden nickel. The set is in black ink on both the Indian & Buffalo issues. The set will cost you 50 cents plus an SASE. Send your orders in to: Donald K. Clifford, P O Box 65, St. Albans, WV. 25177



Merry  
Christmas



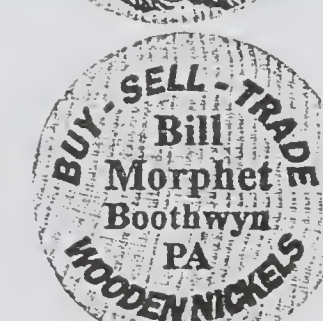


## PRESIDENT'S SAY

The Holiday season is upon us once again and I imagine that all of you are caught up with preparing for Christmas and the New Year now that Thanksgiving has come and gone. It is the time of year when just a little procrastination can put a person behind in accomplishing those tasks needed to be taken care of: Such as getting Christmas cards addressed and mailed to friends and relatives, shopping for the right Christmas gift for the wife, children and especially for the Grand Kids. I must admit that I am behind in answering my mail. So if you have written to me, Please be patient as I will answer your letters.

I have a letter from Merlin Malehorn who is the author of a book on tokens with "COFFEE" as part of the wording. He is in the process of compiling an additional listing of such tokens and would like the help of IOWMC members. If you have any wood, metal or plastic tokens that have the word "COFFEE" on them and wish to be a part of this cataloging effort, Please contact Merlin Malehorn, 6837 Murray Lane, Annadale, Va. 22003. The information that is needed is: Composition, Size, Color, Wording, Etc.

Mary and I wish each member a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year. I hope that the New Year will bring you good collecting luck in finding the ever elusive rarities. *Del Cushing*



The Wicked Wizard "Bill Morphet" is offering his wood issues for 25 cents each plus an SASE to the club members, or four for \$1.00 postpaid. Send your request to: Bill Morphet, 3360 Chichester Ave. Apt. A-13, Boothwyn, PA. 19061. You might ask if the Wicked Wizard has any past wood issues remaining for sale. He has issued many in the past few years.

The second of a planned series of wooden nickels with Christian messages have been produced by wooden money collector A. Craig Hardee. The series, dubbed "Agape Nickels" has the intent of "spreading God's Love, one wooden nickel at a time" according to Hardee. "Agape" is the Greek word in the New Testament which refers to the love God has for mankind. The front of the wood issues has an "Agape Nickel" design which will remain consistent throughout the series. The reverse of the new release has the message "Jesus Is The Reason For The Season." Other nickels in the series will have different reverses. The first of the series is still available. It has a reverse that reads, "What Would Jesus Do?" Agape nickels can be purchased for 25 cents each, or five for \$1.00. Inquires about larger quantity discounts are welcome. To order and to inquire about receiving a subscription to the series, contact: Craig Hardee, P O Box 1780. Apex, NC. 27502



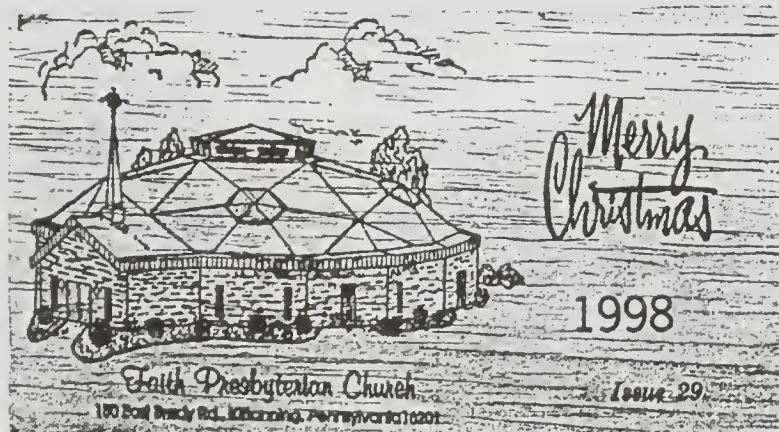


### Newest Issue For sale

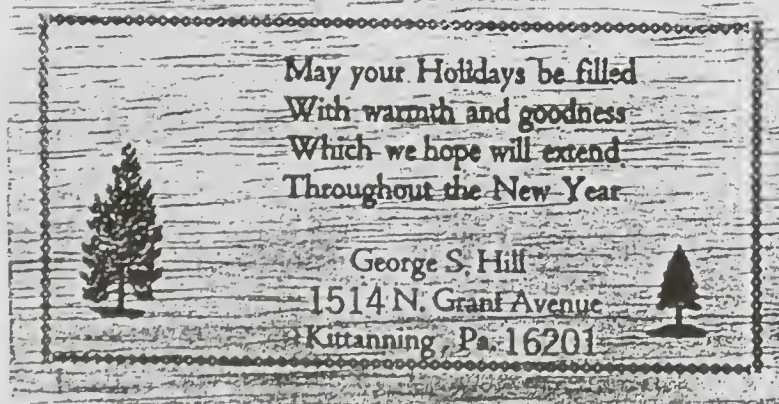
The Greater New Bedford Coin Club has released their newest wooden nickel. Wood is in black ink on both sides. Send 25 cents and an SASE to: C.C. GRTR. N.B., P O Box 2991, New Bedford, MA. 02741



Maryland State Numismatic Assoc. has issued their 1999 wood issue and has it for sale. For 25 cents and an SASE you can add this wood to your collection. Send orders to: M.S.N.A., P O Box 6533, Sparrows Point, MD. 21219



This year our nickels are going for 35 cents each/2 for 50 cents plus an SASE. Send your orders to: D.J. Thibodeau, 3102 So. 32nd Ave., Omaha, NE. 68105-3636



Would like to trade my dups with fellow members. Send two or three photocopy pages of your assorted wood dups for my pages of the same. Will trade one for one with anyone wishing to do so. Brett Lyons, 515 S. Meadow St., Grangeville, Idaho 83530

Fellow collector Phil Chinitz has fixed price lists that he will mail out to members for the cost of one stamp per listing.

- 1--U.S. Coins
- 2--U.S. Currency
- 3--Foreign Coins
- 4--Foreign Currency
- 5--U.S. Mint Stamps, singles, blocks, etc.

- 6--Tokens of all kinds
- 7--Medals
- 8--Wooden Money
- 9--Pins

Lists 7,8 and 9 are mainly Iowa celebration items, but include other states as well. Send your request along with correct postage to: Phil Chinitz, 511 East Fifth, Atlantic, Iowa 50022



**New Club Woods Available:**

The Kalamazoo Numismatic Club from Kalamazoo, Michigan has wooden nickels left over from its recent Fall 1998 Show and wishes to make them available to collectors. There are two varieties including an Indian Head and Buffalo. The set can be purchased for \$1.00 plus 32c stamp for each set ordered (33c stamp starting in January 1999 due to Postal rate increase). Order from John P. Vrbancic, P.O. Box 19013, Kalamazoo, MI 49019

**Seeking (Calif.) Woods:**

BROWN JUG (Atwater or Winton);

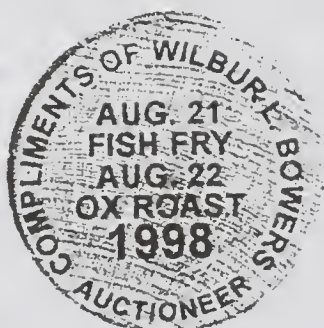
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CLUB MERCEDES (Merced);

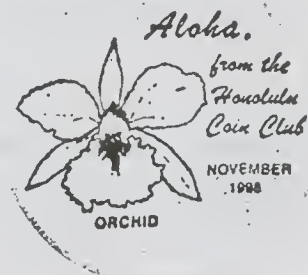
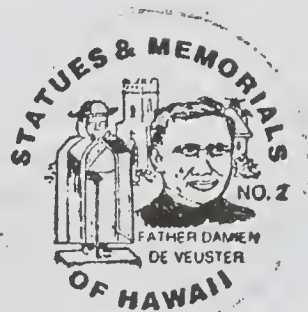
BULLFROG (Merced);

LARIAT (Gustine);

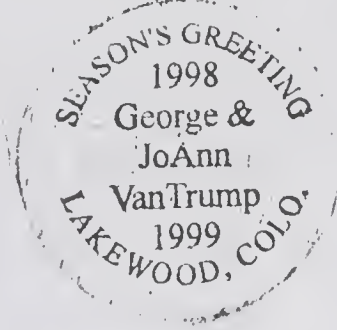
Will buy or trade or push a peanut with my nose for... John Hoffman POB 723 Merced, CA 95341 (209) 384-2498 e-mail: mercedtokn@aol.com

**Newest Wood Issue For Sale**

1998 Creston Ox Roast & Fish Fry wooden nickel is now available. Asking 50 cents with an SASE. Send orders to: John Bowers, 1333 Cove Avenue #307, Lakewood, Oh 44107



Honolulu Coin Club has released their 2nd wood for Statues and Memorials. Woods are in brown in both sides. Send your request along with 50 cents and an SASE to: Honolulu Coin Club, P O Box 6063, Honolulu, HI. 96818



1998 Christmas wood: Will trade mine for your Christmas issue, or will sell for 25 cents per wood plus an SASE. Send your trade or order to: George VanTrump, P O Box 260170, Lakewood, CO. 80226



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DEL and MARY  
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I would like to close out the year by saying thank you to all the members who took the time to send in information for Bunyan's Chips. I hope that you enjoyed the changes that have been made to the newsletter during the past year. New formats, better art and more articles are in store for 1999. Again, thank you to all who play a big part in supporting our newsletter for everyone to enjoy.~~~~~Editor~~~~~

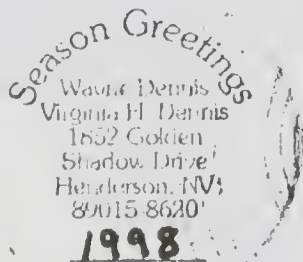


The officers of I.O.W.M.C. wish you all a Merry Christmas as well as a Happy New Year.....

First issue for 1999 will have the club mail bid that is put together by Clinton List

Please notify the editor if there is an error in any part of your address on the membership roster. Corrections will be posted in the newsletter to keep all up to date of the changes.

**SECRETARY'S TWO-CENTS:** Thank you to all that have sent in their dues so far. However, less than 40% have done so. Next time you have your envelopes, stamps, and checkbooks out, remember your I.O.W.M.C. Dues. ALSO, Please, Please, Please...SEND YOUR DUES CHECKS TO ME. Some of you are sending your dues straight to the treasurer. Virginia has to turn around and send them back to me to record and then I have to send them back to her again. So It will save on time and postage if you would please send them to me first. For anyone who does not know where, Here is the address: Shelley Quinn, 5295 Beechwood Rd., Ravenna, OH 44266-9119. Dues are \$5.00 for Reg. Members (anyone with an R-before their number) and \$2.00 for Assoc. Members (anyone with an A-before their number). For all new members who have joined since July--you must pay the full amount for 1999. THANK YOU AND MERRY CHRISTMAS - Shelley



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## GEARY, OKLAHOMA - CENTENNIAL - 1998

The population of Geary is approximately 1400 people. It is located fifty miles northwest of Oklahoma City, just nine miles north of Interstate 40. The town site was one of the twelve Oklahoma Stations of the Butterfield Overland Mail Routes. It was chosen in anticipation of the coming of the Choctaw Railroad. This railroad was purchased in 1907 by the Rock Island Railroad.

The town of Geary was previously Cheyenne and Arapaho land. Ranches operated in the area after the land was opened by the run in April, 1892. This is referring to the Cherokee Strip Assoc. Land Run of 1892. After substantial growth, due to wheat and cattle ranches, the town was incorporated in 1904. Geary is located in Blaine County.

The location of Geary, as a business center, is about in the middle of the two Canadian Rivers, both of whose fertile valleys are tributary to Geary for miles in each direction. The land around this town is very productive to large crops being raised every year. I read an exert from the one hundred year old local newspaper, The Geary Star, that its wheat shipments alone was over 400,000 bushels. Can you imagine what it is today?

The country side around Geary is fairly well settled and a talk with the farmers and ranchers will convince you that prosperity has been and is still with them. Nice big homes, large barns, lots of fat cattle, horses, and hogs are seen on almost every farm.

It has been said that three things were always necessary to the growth and perfection of a city: namely, churches, schools and a newspaper. Geary has churches in abundance, fine schools and a newspaper; therefore they see nothing to prevent it from becoming one of the leading cities in Oklahoma.

There are thousands of acres of fertile Indian allotments along the North Canadian Valley that can be leased; and is leased each year for a nominal figure, which are put into cultivation for never failing crops.

According to the Chamber of Commerce, Geary is a very comfortable town. Several recreational activities are available, a nice park which contains the municipal swimming pool. There also is softball diamonds, little league baseball and even a horse arena available to all the would be cowboys who want to practice bronco riding, or other rodeo activities. Sorry, no bull riding in the park. Both Canadian Rivers and American Horse Lake offers some very good fishing, if you care to indulge. Naturally they have a golf course for those who like that sport.

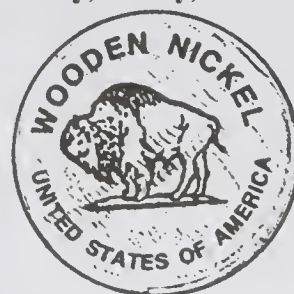
If you are a history buff — Jesse Chisholm gravesite is just eight miles northeast of Geary, near the Left Hand Spring. This very scenic historical area overlooks the verdant North Canadian River Valley. Canadian River Historical Society maintains the museum that is full of artifacts that pioneers and homesteaders brought with them while paving the way for today's population to enjoy. They also maintain the first jail facilities and a railroad caboose as an added attraction.

Geary's Centennial celebration was May 9-10, 1998. This celebration was somewhat different than most; such as quilt shows, women rolling pen throwing contest and even husband calling contest. Of course there was lot of musical entertainment, almost non-stop. These musicians probably never read a note of music. They have a talent not known to everyone. They call it playing by ear!!!! They also had the usual art and crafts, old fashion games and contests for both children and adults, the big parade, dancing, etc.

A wooden nickel, black / buffalo, was issued for this Centennial Celebration. We don't know if anymore are available or not. We received ours from Esther Moorland, Canadian River Museum Secretary, Geary, OK. She was also on the Centennial Committee.

The above information was taken from (1) the Centennial Edition of the Geary Star, (2) part of the Chamber of Commerce pamphlet, and (3) a copy of the 1899 Geary Bulletin sent to us by Esther Moorhead.

Submitted by M. Wayne & Virginia Dennis





# THE VIEW FROM "TREASON HOUSE"

## West Haverstraw's Role in the Revolutionary War

Each year, local history is celebrated during the month of October and this year Rockland County is celebrating in a big way. Rockland will conclude its year-long Bicentennial Celebration with a number of commemorative events including a gala dinner dance.

Although it wasn't incorporated until March 1883, West Haverstraw has played a significant role in the county's economic and social development and was the scene of several notable historical events. The Garnerville Terminal was the center of a once prosperous textile industry and innovative "company town." The Village was greatly influenced by and contributed to the fabled Haverstraw brick industry. It was also the site of one of the busiest railroad terminals north of New York City. West Haverstraw's citizens labored in these and other industries as they built a thriving community.

One of the most notable events in West Haverstraw's history was also a turning point in the Revolutionary War. If Benedict Arnold had met with Major John Andre in Dobbs Ferry as originally planned, perhaps we would still be under British rule. However, on September 19, 1780, Arnold and Andre met on the Haverstraw side of the Hudson River. When their negotiations carried over into the next morning, they traveled to the home of Joshua Hett Smith to continue their discussion. Smith's home was located in West Haverstraw on a portion of the current site of Helen Hayes Hospital. Smith's family referred to the property as "Treasure Hill;" however, after that fateful day, it would forever come to be known as "Treason House."

From the second story of Smith's home they could see An-

dre's ship *The Vulture* being attacked by cannon fire. When the ship retreated down shore, south of Hook Mountain, Andre asked Smith to accompany him to his ship. Smith refused to take him; however he did assist Andre in crossing the Hudson to Croton. With the plans to West Point safely tucked in his boot, Major Andre began his journey, which would secure his fate and the fate of our country. Andre was captured in Tarrytown and he and Smith were eventually taken to Tappan where an inquiry was ordered. Upon hearing of the arrest, Benedict Arnold made his way to *The Vulture* and escaped detection.

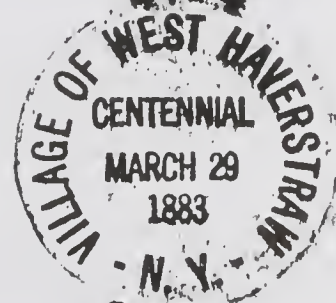
The trial began on September 29, 1780. Andre was judged to be a spy and sentenced to death. His death warrant was signed by General George Washington and he was ordered hung on October 2, 1780. Joshua Hett Smith was not found guilty of any involvement in this conspiracy. It is interesting to note that Smith's brother-in-law, Col. Ann Hawkes Hay was Washington's right hand man in charge of the area from Stony Point to Fort Lee, New Jersey, as well as Haverstraw's delegate to the New York City Convention. After Arnold's treacherous act, Hay's home, also located in what is now West Haverstraw, was destroyed and his property in Jamaica (the country of his birth) was seized by the British because of his revolutionary activities in Haverstraw. He died penniless in New York City in 1786.

Although many of these historic places are no longer part of the West Haverstraw landscape, we owe a debt of gratitude to the men and women who lived, worked and fought to give us the opportunity to celebrate 200 years of Rockland's history.

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